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DAIRYING.

Table No. I.

RETURN SHOWING THE PROGRESS OF THE DAIRYING INDUSTRY SINCE THE YEAR 1909.

Year.	Dairying Establishments, Exclusive of Factories.	DAIRY COWS.			1890	1895	1900	1905	1910	1911	1912	1913	1914	1915	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	Production of Butter.		Production of Cheese.	
		In Milk.	Dry.	Total.																							
1909	15,279	228,497	105,342	333,839	1890	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1910	16,079	262,788	102,656	365,444	1895	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1911	16,225	237,997	119,098	357,095	1900	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1912	16,579	267,847	107,813	375,660	1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1913	17,866	285,403	106,036	391,439	1910	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1914	18,029	288,334	98,977	387,311	1911	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1915	17,876	218,511	116,732	335,243	1912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1916	18,410	247,855	95,456	343,311	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1917	19,404	303,133	96,375	399,508	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1918	19,313	255,039	126,466	381,505	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1919	18,952	211,331	161,815	373,146	1916	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1920	20,457	335,026	113,608	448,634	1917	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1921	21,695	423,251	130,957	554,208	1918	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1922	21,931	418,351	145,332	563,683	1919	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1923	22,019	357,203	155,326	512,529	1920	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1924	22,599	433,531	151,355	584,886	1921	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Estimated.

Table No. II.

RETURN SHOWING DETAILS OF THE PRINCIPAL DAIRYING DIVISIONS FOR THE YEAR 1924.

District.	Total Milk Obtained.	HOW UTILISED.							
		For Butter on Farms.	For Cheese on Farms.	For Domestic Purposes by Producer.	Separated for Sale.	Sold for Consumption as Milk.	Sold to Condensed Milk Factories.	Sold to Cheese Factories.	
Moreton	53,037,387	1,921,226	...	2,084,490	43,057,849	4,097,669	1,745,942	130,211	
Wide Bay	42,784,087	1,618,195	4,950	1,364,130	38,666,853	399,621	...	730,338	
Port Curtis	7,866,214	580,542	183	353,116	6,625,969	406,404	...	172,316	
Rockingham	5,135,106	96,572	...	312,541	4,442,920	110,727	...	183	
Maranoa	1,595,381	138,552	...	116,604	1,279,114	61,111	...	...
Downs	32,318,101	1,195,896	...	1,338,398	18,375,031	412,237	1,210,760	9,785,779	
Other Districts	1,211,136	347,248	24	439,990	56,290	367,584	...	...
Total, 1924	a 143,947,412	5,898,231	5,157	6,009,269	112,404,026	5,855,353	2,956,702	10,818,674	
Total, 1923	b 104,203,877	5,415,669	11,656	5,656,115	78,488,319	5,217,660	2,181,379	7,233,079	
Increase, 1924	...	39,743,535	482,562	...	353,154	33,915,707	637,693	775,923	3,585,595
Decrease, 1924	6,499

District.	ESTABLISHMENTS.			DAIRY CATTLE.		BUTTER MADE.			CHEESE MADE.		
	Dairying.	Butter Factories.	Cheese Factories.	In Milk.	Dry.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.
Moreton	7,787	16	2	159,682	45,413	19,625,451	827,109	20,452,560	129,029	...	129,029
Wide Bay	5,275	12	5	133,647	46,330	19,467,970	719,715	20,187,685	724,431	4,950	729,381
Port Curtis	1,441	4	...	27,430	16,927	3,220,542	199,811	3,420,353	...	183	183
Rockingham	1,029	4	1	12,379	5,677	2,323,483	40,621	364,104	70,200	...	70,209
Maranoa	409	1	...	7,250	3,231	826,857	65,269	892,126	...	...	...
Downs	5,129	11	63	86,170	26,648	10,205,348	524,853	10,730,201	10,165,054	30	30
Other Districts	1,529	2	...	6,973	7,129	27,649	113,276	140,925	...	...	...
Total, 1924	22,599	50	71	433,531	151,355	55,697,300	2,490,654	58,187,954	11,088,723	5,163	11,093,886
Total, 1923	22,019	48	76	357,203	155,326	38,417,853	2,241,781	40,659,634	7,210,295	11,060	7,221,355
Increase, 1924	580	2	5	76,328	...	17,279,447	248,873	17,528,320	3,878,428	...	3,872,531
Decrease, 1924	...	...	...	...	3,971	...	...	...	...	5,807	...

a 1,771,265 gallons of this were sent from the Moreton Division to New South Wales.

b 862,550 gallons of this were sent from the Moreton Division to New South Wales.

Table No. III.

BUTTER, CHEESE, AND CONDENSED MILK.

RETURN SHOWING QUANTITY EXPORTED OVERSEA FOR FIVE YEARS (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE ONLY).

Year.	BUTTER.			CHEESE.			CONDENSED MILK.		
	Quantity Exported Oversea.	Value.	Value per lb.	Quantity Exported Oversea.	Value.	Value per lb.	Quantity Exported Oversea.	Value.	Value per lb.
1919-20	lbs.	£	s. d.	lbs.	£	s. d.	lbs.	£	s. d.
1920-21	5,793,447	469,135	1 7 1	2,745,336	126,102	0 11	5,282,142	216,989	0 9 1
1921-22	26,067,478	2,964,204	2 3 1	7,936,289	427,725	1 1	7,709,256	401,159	1 0 2
1922-23	40,723,861	2,382,125	1 2	10,782,950	370,878	0 8 1	7,926,297	417,455	1 0 3
1923-24	21,060,593	1,588,123	1 6	4,387,192	187,045	0 10 1	2,161,099	109,660	1 0 2
1923-24	16,657,633	1,131,481	1 4 1	2,735,376	96,595	0 8 2	267,364	13,287	1 0 0

Table No. IV.

CONDENSED MILK MANUFACTURED—RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS.

							Lb.
1920	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,362,464
1921	...	...	...	...	...	...	15,168,652
1922	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,601,914
1923	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,131,648
1924	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,549,064

POULTRY.

Table No. V.

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBERS OF POULTRY ON FARMS AND EGGS PRODUCED IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Petty Sessions District.		Fowls.	Ducks	Geese.	Turkeys.	Other.	Eggs.
		Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Dozen.
Atherton	...	22,772	409	14	219	60	70,108
Ayr	...	12,750	895	76	553	...	62,242
Beaudesert	...	14,492	547	98	499	...	97,946
Brisbane (A)	...	39,994	1,831	45	29	106	262,450
Brisbane (B)	...	9,963	259	8	33	...	54,858
Bundaberg	...	14,739	220	30	123	14	59,661
Cairns	...	17,082	897	9	18	8	43,974
Clifton	...	17,222	107	72	436	8	55,638
Crow's Nest	...	10,117	188	7	30	...	71,554
Dalby	...	21,486	322	79	578	10	68,235
Dugandan	...	26,568	1,348	368	393	6	120,449
Esk	...	13,293	847	306	550	189	46,224
Gatton	...	21,340	1,595	594	217	32	72,594
Gayndah	...	14,033	160	25	568	13	61,219
Gladstone	...	12,939	337	49	555	58	52,468
Gympie	...	23,088	1,545	133	557	864	123,286
Harrisville	...	17,915	1,142	100	421	45	96,477
Helidon	...	7,905	272	17	54	...	66,376
Ingham	...	13,291	791	49	23	...	40,379
Kilcoy	...	6,754	498	94	160	47	41,221
Laidley	...	16,022	1,090	602	162	...	93,014
Logan	...	12,836	674	179	61	...	51,979
Lowood	...	14,169	1,401	634	328	18	59,011
Mackay	...	31,322	476	24	77	74	125,159
Maroochy	...	31,154	418	...	19	605	123,559
Maryborough	...	9,912	237	32	144	...	47,669
Nanango	...	28,509	1,161	252	807	85	97,431
Nerang	...	9,444	636	158	51	...	41,323
Oakey	...	18,332	209	31	314	52	92,881
Pittsworth	...	16,808	107	30	366	...	95,458
Rockhampton	...	29,635	1,080	65	883	15	140,693
Rosewood	...	14,302	641	103	111	93	72,133
Stanhope	...	7,998	22	14	66	...	51,797
Tiaro	...	8,770	341	90	319	22	51,313
Warwick	...	22,692	570	183	950	6	72,003
Wienholt	...	30,042	1,336	317	522	122	125,293
Wynnum	...	15,551	45	...	...	...	67,984
All other Districts	...	196,853	6,658	794	5,066	310	682,110
Totals, 1924	...	852,094	30,812	5,681	16,262	2,862	3,658,169
Totals, 1923	...	776,996	21,025	4,967	10,898	2,313	3,084,500
Increase, 1924	...	75,098	9,787	714	5,364	549	573,669
Decrease, 1924	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

NOTE.—Total value poultry and eggs—1923, £361,681; 1924, £530,782.

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

APIARIES.

Table No. VI.

RETURN SHOWING THE PARTICULARS OF THE BEE INDUSTRY FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Petty Sessions District.	Number of Hives.		Honey.	Average per Productive Hive.	Wax.	Petty Sessions District.	Number of Hives.		Honey.	Average per Productive Hive.	Wax.
	Productive.	Non-Productive.					Productive.	Non-Productive.			
Brisbane (A) ...	357	210	Lb. 25,620	Lb. 72	Lb. 118	Maroochy	317	118	Lb. 17,340	Lb. 55	Lb. 407
Caboolture ...	1,281	76	42,530	33	750	Maryborough	566	218	38,537	68	613
Cleveland	247	10	10,356	42	138	Nerang	109	21	7,200	66	127
Cook	242	16	13,358	55	337	Pittsworth	225	48	19,300	86	172
Dalby	428	173	50,817	119	703	Rockhampton	1,176	245	75,340	64	879
Dugandan ...	179	5	8,260	46	103	Rosewood	216	118	17,721	82	133
Esk	159	79	13,222	83	101	Warwick	1,023	230	73,550	72	625
Gatton	340	70	16,606	49	149	Wienholt	159	45	6,593	41	22
Gayndah	90	10	9,460	105	210	All other Districts	1,701	1,274	97,521	57	1,781
Gympie	894	169	60,938	68	746						
Harrisville ...	220	53	17,018	77	230	Totals, 1924 ...	11,588	3,595	691,136	60	9,883
Herberton	198	...	11,730	59	80	Totals, 1923 ...	10,788	4,328	505,346	47	7,405
Highfields ...	240	60	9,600	40	400						
Killarney	261	125	8,568	33	...	Increase, 1924	800	...	185,790	13	2,478
Logan	805	171	33,547	42	995	Decrease, 1924	...	733	...	...	...
Lowood	155	51	6,404	41	64						

NOTE.—Total value honey and wax—1923, £9,585; 1924, £12,954.

Table No. VII.

RETURN SHOWING PROGRESS OF HOLDINGS AND AREA CULTIVATED.—RETURN FOR 10 YEARS.

Year.	Number of Holdings Returned.	Increase per cent. on Previous Year.	Increase per cent. on Figures of 1904.	Area under Cultivation.	Increase per cent. on Previous Year.	Increase per cent. o Figures for 1904.
1904 ...	17,854	...	...	577,896	...	...
1915 ...	24,828	1.11	39.06	1,059,401	7.97	83.32
1916 ...	25,713	3.56	44.02	1,077,342	1.69	86.42
1917 ...	25,872	0.62	44.91	998,036	-7.36	72.70
1918 ...	26,041	0.65	45.86	982,066	-1.60	69.94
1919 ...	26,713	2.58	49.62	988,541	0.66	71.06
1920 ...	26,921	0.78	50.78	1,018,444	3.02	76.23
1921 ...	28,122	4.46	57.51	1,045,342	2.64	80.89
1922 ...	29,390	4.51	64.61	1,090,816	4.35	88.76
1923 ...	31,464	7.06	76.23	1,198,166	9.84	107.33
1924 ...	32,359	2.84	81.24	1,275,039	6.42	120.63

The minus sign (—) implies a decrease.

Table No. VIII.

RETURN SHOWING LABOUR EMPLOYED, INCLUDING OWNERS OR OCCUPIERS WORKING ON HOLDINGS,
AND THE CAPITAL INVESTED IN FARMING MACHINERY, ETC., 1924.

PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICT.	LABOUR.				VALUE OF MACHINERY AND IMPLEMENTS.				
	Farming.		Dairying.		Farming.	Dairying.	Irrigation.	Travelling Machinery.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	£	£	£	£	£
Allora ...	521	...	261	60	88,759	8,293	1,650	2,150	100,852
Atherton ...	464	12	561	309	37,165	29,389	350	...	66,904
Ayr ...	1,331	2	6	2	140,373	282	331,726	18,914	491,295
Beaudesert ...	332	...	316	263	41,179	17,993	1,545	640	61,357
Biggenden ...	548	174	511	323	14,873	27,411	1,000	720	44,004
Bowen ...	308	22	5	63	13,924	469	19,865	...	34,258
Brisbane (A) ...	924	74	451	221	32,044	6,789	6,035	1,993	46,861
Bundaberg ...	1,761	10	121	159	88,078	4,129	13,000	25,600	130,807
Cairns ...	1,690	1	24	11	147,367	495	...	27,103	174,965
Childers ...	766	5	17	20	49,526	1,354	200	10,000	61,080
Clifton ...	794	...	128	249	184,682	11,112	...	1,050	196,844
Crow's Nest ...	394	...	191	393	23,315	43,172	...	...	30,487
Dalby ...	1,036	170	973	540	64,180	39,694	20	1,720	105,614
Douglas ...	289	1	11	6	31,582	632	...	...	32,214
Dugandan ...	668	40	741	431	64,219	13,863	1,745	...	79,827
Esk ...	606	47	560	365	46,044	14,736	...	30	60,810
Gatton ...	994	32	678	476	69,501	9,125	700	3,475	82,801
Gayndah ...	527	5	505	336	35,008	31,864	325	50	67,247
Gin Gin ...	538	1	32	54	27,641	3,608	50	1,175	32,474
Gladstone ...	735	34	549	331	29,756	22,567	290	3,202	55,815
Gympie ...	1,254	32	1,687	991	35,672	71,879	400	...	107,951
Harrisville ...	443	23	269	208	45,323	20,634	2,095	190	68,242
Ingham ...	1,291	2	...	150,191	70	...	...	23,094	173,355
Innisfail ...	1,828	...	4	...	147,015	121	...	...	147,136
Jondaryan ...	274	2	297	260	23,533	12,526	...	...	36,059
Killarney ...	362	7	121	79	69,520	9,316	1,590	3,400	83,826
Laidley ...	647	34	24	394	53,072	7,271	210	...	60,553
Logan ...	690	63	490	371	26,735	7,517	256	1,535	36,043
Lowood ...	404	3	84	380	29,983	7,552	...	100	37,635
Mackay ...	2,800	12	23	18	242,015	3,817	...	...	245,832
Maroochy ...	1,861	62	720	307	42,078	26,557	446	3,100	72,181
Maryborough ...	681	17	275	141	29,387	5,330	75	1,220	36,012
Mount Morgan ...	538	34	106	115	24,449	5,807	340	...	30,596
Nanango ...	998	10	733	626	105,928	58,774	...	1,070	164,872
Nerang ...	207	8	441	281	10,486	19,012	350	260	30,108
Oakey ...	642	24	461	449	79,976	23,976	...	2,470	106,422
Pittsworth ...	861	8	724	614	131,517	30,258	50	1,275	163,100
Proserpine ...	491	...	7	9	54,330	471	130	...	54,931
Rockhampton ...	1,244	75	478	300	54,662	21,883	19,933	1,909	98,387
Roma ...	527	10	385	280	46,271	10,100	50	1,158	57,579
Rosewood ...	360	4	346	340	25,100	7,600	...	...	32,700
Stanthorpe ...	596	124	33	17	32,036	104	625	...	32,765
Tiaro ...	411	...	302	238	19,300	15,443	...	15	34,798
Toowoomba ...	499	123	258	224	43,501	11,748	9,118	4,730	69,097
Townsville ...	234	3	56	24	17,848	791	12,963	2,730	34,332
Warwick ...	1,119	30	458	348	132,947	16,614	500	6,030	156,091
Wienholt ...	1,538	19	1,378	531	123,568	58,083	290	1,000	182,941
All other Districts ...	4,211	183	2,623	2,164	223,460	100,708	29,289	3,647	357,104
Total, 1924 ...	42,237	1,542	19,424	14,321	3,248,219	810,939	457,211	156,755	4,673,124
Total, 1923 ...	38,186	1,211	18,187	13,627	2,804,960	719,717	433,220	114,364	4,072,261
Increase, 1924 ...	4,051	331	1,237	694	443,259	91,222	23,991	42,391	600,863
Decrease, 1924 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Table No. IX.

RETURN SHOWING LAND TREATED FOR CULTIVATION, ETC., FOR THE YEAR 1924.

							1923.	1924.
							Acres.	Acres.
Under crop ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	871,968	1,069,837
In fallow ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	200,362	92,112
New ground broken up ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,199	10,545
Previously cropped, but not during 1923 and 1924 respectively ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	108,637	102,545
Under cultivation ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,198,166*	1,275,039*
Under permanent artificially sown grasses ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	498,552	538,165
Grand total ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,696,718	1,813,204

* See Table No. XI. for details of areas and owners.

Table No. X.

RETURN SHOWING THE VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL CROPS FOR THE YEAR 1924.

					1923.	1924.	Increase or -Decrease, 1924.
					£	£	
Grain crops ...	...	...	...	...	714,563	2,298,073	1,583,510
Green forage ...	...	...	...	...	1,993,505	804,654	-1,188,851
Hay and straw ...	...	...	...	...	402,919	872,857	469,938
Root crops ...	...	...	...	...	174,541	241,038	66,497
Sugar-cane ...	...	...	...	...	4,807,649	7,207,409	2,399,760
Fruit ...	...	...	...	...	1,184,246	1,524,873	340,627
All other ...	...	...	...	...	828,421	1,043,480	215,059
Total ...	...	...	...	...	10,105,844	13,992,384	3,886,540

The minus sign (-) indicates a decrease.

Table No. XI.

RETURN SHOWING AREA UNDER CULTIVATION AND SIZES OF FARMS FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Petty Sessions District.	Under 5 Acres.		5 and under 20 Acres.		20 and under 50 Acres.		50 Acres and Over.		Totals.	
	Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.	Owners.	Acres.
Allora	1	1	2	20	18	633	288	47,458	309	48,112
Atherton	43	114	97	973	106	3,336	139	9,906	385	14,329
Ayr	3	6	36	460	123	4,390	333	28,560	495	33,416
Beaudesert	33	91	199	2,295	179	5,304	37	2,817	448	10,507
Biggenden	99	254	181	1,813	71	1,982	8	478	359	4,527
Bowen	26	64	124	1,376	51	1,534	8	550	209	3,524
Brisbane (A)	192	496	441	4,474	65	1,747	4	257	702	6,974
Bundaberg	47	109	240	2,790	303	9,855	118	14,888	708	27,642
Cairns	35	67	114	1,312	166	5,631	255	26,750	570	33,760
Childers	33	71	70	789	73	2,467	125	13,639	301	16,966
Clifton	..	..	2	11	18	660	491	91,384	511	92,055
Condamine	57	113	84	833	54	1,991	44	4,840	249	7,777
Cooyar	2	4	24	272	56	1,955	16	1,117	98	3,348
Crow's Nest	9	25	73	898	187	5,926	88	6,266	357	13,115
Dalby	130	253	205	2,161	233	7,122	258	27,956	826	37,492
Douglas	15	33	28	367	49	1,527	52	5,122	144	7,049
Dugandan	19	30	74	1,005	390	12,970	137	9,364	620	23,369
Esk	24	70	115	1,306	157	5,394	100	7,845	396	14,615
Gatton	10	23	57	747	315	10,592	231	16,231	613	27,593
Gayndah	171	360	298	3,189	197	5,888	57	4,580	723	14,017
Gin Gin	48	95	89	1,001	126	4,117	47	3,401	310	8,614
Gladstone	208	491	340	3,481	139	3,947	24	2,578	711	10,497
Goombungee	..	..	4	50	41	1,506	97	9,173	142	10,729
Goondiwindi	11	28	17	185	30	915	52	6,221	110	7,349
Gympie	302	852	585	5,606	131	3,472	16	1,060	1,034	10,990
Harrisville	13	32	64	873	206	6,966	90	6,381	373	14,252
Helidon	14	39	70	859	115	3,706	47	3,212	246	7,816
Highfields	7	23	35	426	83	2,711	102	8,206	227	11,366
Ingham	14	34	73	821	91	3,159	283	29,202	461	33,216
Inglewood	10	22	28	337	43	1,303	60	6,787	141	8,449
Innisfail	10	23	72	971	257	8,675	278	22,248	617	31,917
Ipswich	12	28	70	769	78	2,369	19	1,191	179	4,357
Jondaryan	1	2	28	373	82	2,807	127	13,418	238	16,600
Killarney	6	16	19	220	20	704	196	30,922	241	31,862
Laidley	13	21	54	672	231	7,777	170	12,483	468	20,953
Logan	71	190	309	3,780	83	2,142	2	131	465	6,243
Lowood	19	38	36	455	137	4,941	129	9,156	321	14,590
Mackay	65	175	275	3,130	486	16,433	576	53,360	1,402	73,098
Marburg	21	52	48	626	112	3,602	31	1,908	212	6,188
Maroochy	406	1,083	854	8,436	149	4,189	9	598	1,418	14,306
Maryborough	115	274	321	3,742	120	3,393	7	398	563	7,807
Mount Morgan	151	316	141	1,473	119	3,816	110	9,244	521	14,849
Nanango	75	158	177	2,042	354	11,908	357	34,011	963	48,119
Oakey	8	18	21	286	82	2,796	437	55,792	548	58,892
Pittsworth	4	10	19	265	76	2,671	480	74,839	579	77,785
Proserpine	14	39	107	1,359	113	3,555	49	3,778	283	8,731
Redcliffe	36	104	203	2,261	46	1,319	5	399	290	4,083
Rockhampton	391	917	527	5,613	233	6,886	67	6,385	1,218	19,801
Roma	39	92	81	887	91	2,986	204	27,991	415	31,956
Rosewood	29	42	74	1,054	200	6,547	44	2,951	347	10,594
Stanhope	33	110	430	5,509	167	4,512	6	382	636	10,513
Tiaro	85	201	169	1,883	100	2,959	15	1,079	369	6,122
Toowoomba	49	138	164	1,736	102	3,339	164	25,063	479	30,276
Warwick	14	46	125	1,264	119	3,959	477	63,985	735	69,254
Wienholt	58	127	173	2,075	326	10,917	452	43,192	1,009	56,311
All other Districts	738	1,765	1,181	11,887	379	11,012	127	11,703	2,425	36,367
Total, 1924	4,039	9,785	9,447	103,498	8,088	258,920	8,145	902,836	29,719	1,275,039
Total, 1923	4,210	10,176	9,183	100,753	7,652	244,641	7,612	842,596	28,657	1,198,166
Increase, 1924	..	..	264	2,745	436	14,279	533	60,240	1,062	76,873
Decrease, 1924	171	391	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

See Table No. IX.

Table No. XII.

IRRIGATION.—RETURN FOR 10 YEARS.

Year.	Acres Irrigated.	Year.	Acres Irrigated.
1915	11,842	1920	9,803
1916	10,886	1921	11,264
1917	4,467	1922	14,314
1918	6,947	1923	18,417
1919	9,267	1924	18,235

Table No. XIII.
RETURN SHOWING THE AREA IRRIGATED AND THE PRINCIPAL CROPS TREATED FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Petty Sessions District.			Number of Irrigators.	Acrea Irrigated.	Original Source of Water Supply.	Means Employed for Procurement and Utilisation.	Principal Crops Treated.
Ayr	...	...	452	14,841	Lagoons, rivers, spears, and wells	Electric, steam, oil, suction gas, and windmill pumps, drains and gravitation	Sugar-cane and vegetables
Brisbane (A)	...	...	47	226	Brook, creeks, river, spring, and wells	Drills, channels, gravitation, flooding, pipes, sprays, oil, horse, and windmill pumps	Fruit and vegetables, green fodder, crops, hay, market gardens
Brisbane (B)	...	...	20	98	Bores and springs	Steam and oil pumps, flooding, pipes, and sprays	Fruit and vegetables
Bowen	...	...	79	538	Wells, creek, and river	Oil, steam, and windmill pumps, open drains, pipes, and gravitation	Maize, cane, sorghum, fruit and vegetables
Bundaberg	...	...	1	75	River	Steam pump	Sugar-cane
Cape River	...	...	7	45	River, wells, and creek	Oil, horse, and windmill pumps, pipes, and trenches	Fruit and vegetables
Charters Towers	...	36	122	Wells and creek	Oil, horse, and windmill pumps, pipes, drains, floods, and sprays	Fruit and vegetables, lucerne, sorghum, and wheat	
Cleveland	...	...	31	80	Wells	Oil engine pumps and sprinklers	Orchards
Cloncurry	...	...	13	52	Creek, bore, and wells	Oil, steam, horses, and windmill pumps, gravitation, pipes, drains and trenches	Market gardens
Cunnamulla	...	...	9	262	Bore and river	Horse, steam and oil pumps, drains, flooding, pipes and hose	Natural and Rhodes grass, fruit and vegetables, wheat and oats
Emerald	...	...	6	26	Wells	Oil and horse pumps, pipe and hose	Cotton, fruit, and vegetables
Gatton	...	...	5	91	Creeks	Oil and suction gas pumps, flooding, furrows and spray	Lucerne and vegetables
Gladstone	...	...	3	26	River and well	Oil pumps, sprays, pipes and drains	Sugar-cane, lucerne and vegetables
Goondiwindi	...	...	4	33	River and creeks	Oil and steam pumps, flooding and drains	Lucerne and market gardens
Hughenden	...	...	2	45	Wells	Oil and horse pumps and drains	Market gardens
Inglewood	...	...	6	41	Brook	Oil pumps and drains	Lucerne and vegetables
Killarney	...	...	11	64	Bore, creek, river, and wells	Oil pumps, flooding, drains and pipes	Vegetables
Mount Morgan	...	...	8	25	Wells	Oil and hand pumps, pipes, drains and flooding	Fruit, vegetables, and maize
Redcliffe	...	...	10	35	Well, river, bore, and creek	Oil pumps, pipes, gravitation, sprays and flooding	Lucerne and green fodder, fruit and vegetables
Rockhampton	...	95	504	Creek, lagoons, dam, well, and bores	Horse, oil, steam, gas, and windmill pumps, pipes, drains, sprays and flooding	Lucerne and market gardens	
St. George	...	...	7	36	River	Oil, steam and hot air pumps, pipes and drains	Market gardens
St. Lawrence	...	...	1	30	Creek	Oil engine and spray	Lucerne
Toowoomba	...	...	63	115	Wells and bores	Windmill and oil pumps, pipes, sprays and sprinklers	Lucerne, fruit, and vegetables
Townsville	...	...	42	463	Wells, creek, lagoon, and river	Oil, steam, gas, horse and electric pumps, windmills, pipes and drains	Sugar-cane, green fodder, pines, citrus fruits, market gardens
44 Other Districts	...	101	362	Various		...	Mostly market gardens
Total 1924	...	1,059	18,235				

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Table No. XIV.
WHEAT (GRAIN).
RETURN FOR TEN YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE OF WHEAT FOR GRAIN.

Year.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.	INCREASE OR — DECREASE ON THE PREVIOUS YEAR.		
				Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
1915	93,703	414,438	4.42	33,312	—1,170,649	— 8.06
1916	227,778	2,463,141	10.81	134,075	2,048,703	6.39
1917	127,815	1,035,268	8.10	—99,963	—1,427,873	— 2.71
1918	21,637	104,509	4.83	—106,178	— 930,759	— 3.27
1919	46,478	311,638	6.71	24,841	207,129	1.88
1920	177,320	3,707,357	20.91	130,842	3,395,719	14.20
1921	164,670	3,025,786	18.37	—12,650	— 681,571	— 2.54
1922	145,492	1,877,836	12.91	—19,178	—1,147,950	— 5.46
1923	51,149	243,713	4.76	—94,345	—1,634,123	— 8.15
1924	189,145	2,779,829	14.70	137,996	2,536,116	9.94
Average of Ten Years	124,519	1,596,352	12.82	...	...	...

Table No. XV.
WHEAT.
RETURN FOR TEN YEARS SHOWING AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE IN EACH STATE.

States.	Average Produce per Acre—Bushels.										
	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	
Queensland	4.42	10.81	8.10	4.83	6.71	20.91	18.37	12.91	4.76	14.70	12.82
New South Wales	15.94	9.61	11.33	7.60	2.96	17.79	13.39	9.74	11.26	16.87	11.65
Victoria	15.90	16.37	14.03	11.40	7.75	17.19	16.80	13.50	15.40	17.51	14.59
South Australia	12.46	16.46	12.18	10.49	7.77	15.80	10.46	11.73	14.29	12.83	12.45
Western Australia	10.52	10.28	7.44	7.72	10.77	9.60	10.41	8.92	11.42	12.79	9.99
Tasmania	20.43	12.53	11.57	15.66	18.58	20.01	20.62	22.56	21.07	20.05	18.31

Table No. XVI.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE OF WHEAT FOR GRAIN IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Divisions and Petty Sessions Districts.	1923.			1924.			INCREASE OR — DECREASE.		
	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
MORETON.									
Crow's Nest	66	681	10.32	197	3,010	15.28	131	2,329	4.96
Dugandan	4	112	28.00	7	75	10.71	3	37	17.29
Gatton	...	...	...	25	465	18.60	25	465	18.60
Helidon	...	...	...	33	350	10.61	33	350	10.61
Laidley	44	186	4.23	11	108	9.82	— 33	— 78	5.59
Total, Moreton	114	979	8.59	273	4,008	14.68	159	3,029	6.09
WIDE BAY.									
Gayndah	2	40	20.00	...	...	...	— 2	— 40	— 20.00
Nanango	81	561	6.93	533	6,920	12.98	452	6,359	6.05
Wienholz	300	3,127	10.42	215	1,600	7.44	— 85	— 1,527	— 2.98
Total, Wide Bay	383	3,728	9.73	748	8,520	11.39	365	4,792	1.66
PORT CURTIS.									
Mt. Morgan	...	...	...	63	390	6.19	63	390	6.19
Rockhampton	...	...	...	3	28	9.33	3	28	9.33
Total, Port Curtis	...	...	...	66	418	6.33	66	418	6.33
ROCKINGHAM.									
Herberton	...	...	...	10	260	26.00	10	260	26.00
CENTRAL.									
Clermont	...	...	...	4	20	5.00	4	20	5.00
Emerald	...	...	...	5	30	6.00	5	30	6.00
Taroom	...	...	...	2	60	30.00	2	60	30.00
Total, Central	...	...	...	11	110	10.00	11	110	10.00
MARANOA.									
Mitchell	1,132	6,001	5.30	1,516	19,977	13.18	384	13,976	7.88
Roma	13,553	67,898	5.01	13,495	143,834	10.66	— 58	75,936	5.65
Yeulba	26	81	3.12	49	482	9.84	23	401	6.72
Total, Maranoa	14,711	73,980	5.03	15,060	164,293	10.91	349	90,313	5.88
DOWNS.									
Allora	6,840	34,764	5.08	20,240	374,210	18.49	13,400	339,446	13.41
Clifton	6,447	30,464	4.73	39,324	670,972	17.06	32,877	640,508	12.33
Condamine	106	353	3.33	703	5,603	7.97	597	5,250	4.64
Dalby	2,747	10,989	4.00	8,924	99,248	11.12	6,177	88,254	7.12
Goombungee	83	699	8.42	1,469	17,152	11.68	1,386	16,453	3.26
Goondiwindi	271	1,502	5.54	2,755	34,099	12.38	2,484	32,597	6.84
Highfields	269	2,009	7.47	882	9,817	11.13	613	7,808	3.66
Inglewood	780	3,594	4.61	3,614	48,974	13.55	2,834	45,380	8.94
Jondaryan	75	405	5.40	1,887	19,278	10.22	1,812	18,873	4.82
Killarney	4,083	16,500	4.04	10,295	183,595	17.83	6,212	167,095	13.79
Oakey	611	2,810	4.60	15,762	182,773	11.60	15,151	179,963	7.00
Pittsworth	6,767	31,104	4.60	38,793	489,074	12.61	32,026	457,970	8.01
Texas	...	...	...	144	1,848	12.83	144	1,848	12.83
Toowoomba	627	3,059	4.88	7,645	113,267	14.82	7,018	110,208	9.94
Warwick	6,235	26,774	4.29	20,540	352,315	17.15	14,305	325,541	12.86
Total, Downs	35,941	165,026	4.59	172,977	2,602,220	15.04	137,036	2,437,194	10.45
Total State	51,149	243,713	4.76	189,145	2,779,829	14.70	137,996	2,536,116	9.94

Table No. XVII.

RETURN SHOWING THE QUANTITY OF WHEAT TREATED IN QUEENSLAND DURING THE YEAR 1923.

District.	Number of Establishments.	Number of Hands Employed.	Pairs of Stones.	Sets of Rollers.	Wheat Treated.	FLOUR MADE.		MEAL MADE.		BRAN AND POLLARD.	
						Tons.	Value.	Tons.	Value.	Bushels.	Value.
Metropolitan	3	288	7	127	2,557,219	54,244	699,063	339	4,246	2,301,587	226,889
Elsewhere	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total, 1922	11	273	7	95	2,496,011	51,476	694,297	270	3,624	2,203,685	193,309

N.B.—These are the latest figures available.

Table No. XVIII.

BARLEY.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE RESULT OF THE CROP.

Barley.							1923.	1924.
Reaped for grain	...	...	...	...	...	...	Acres.	Acres.
Mown for hay	...	...	...	...	...	...	665	8,798
Used for green food	...	...	...	...	...	...	113	158
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,564	6,267
							14,342	15,223

Table No. XIX.

BARLEY.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING RESULT OF GRAIN CROP.

Year.							Area for Grain.	Produce.	Average Produce per Acre.
1923							Acres. 665	Bushels. 3,808	Bushels. 5.73
1924							8,798	171,124	19.45
Increase, 1924							8,133	167,316	13.72

Table No. XX.

BARLEY.

RETURN SHOWING RESULT OF CROP, DISTINGUISHING BETWEEN MALTING AND OTHER VARIETIES, FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Petty Sessions District.	Malting Grain.			Other Varieties Grain.		
	Acres.	Bushels.	Average per Acre, Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.	Average per Acre, Bushels.
Allora	487	9,051	18.59	238	4,874	20.48
Beaudesert	...	...	...	20	123	6.15
Clifton	2,423	56,355	23.26	539	8,003	14.85
Crow's Nest	59	1,506	25.53	27	496	18.37
Dalby	284	2,032	7.15	...	...	...
Goombungee	65	850	13.08	22	360	16.36
Highfields	34	765	22.50	43	494	11.49
Inglewood	...	...	...	19	219	11.53
Jondaryan	141	1,125	7.98	98	1,308	13.35
Killarney	153	2,916	19.06	343	4,911	14.32
Oakey	449	8,898	19.82	137	2,150	15.69
Pittsworth	1,022	15,483	15.15	34	684	20.12
Toowoomba	582	14,510	24.93	79	1,910	24.18
Warwick	536	13,814	25.77	917	17,740	19.35
All other Districts	33	340	10.30	14	207	14.79
Total, 1924	6,268	127,645	20.36	2,530	43,479	17.19

Table No. XXI.

MALT.

RETURN FOR TEN YEARS SHOWING QUANTITY OF MALT MADE AND HOW DEALT WITH.

Year.	Made from Imported Barley.	Made from Queensland Barley.	Total Malt Made.	Beer (including Waste).	Malt used in Breweries as returned to Excise.
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Gallons.	Bushels.
1914	46,545	73,398	119,943	6,244,462	194,031
1915	...	34,204	34,204	5,821,397	177,323
1916	47,730	...	47,730	5,586,940	161,764
1917	...	70,117	70,117	6,167,638	181,067
1918	...	58,139	58,139	6,889,707	206,992
1919	66,119	1,270	67,389	8,466,242	256,658
1920	43,400	24,898	68,298	9,063,791	261,992
1921	...	64,000	64,000	7,476,595	225,749
1922	...	58,958	58,958	6,887,772	201,436
1923	...	42,974	42,974	6,843,125	211,136

N.B.—These are the latest figures available.

Table No. XXII.

MAIZE.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE OF MAIZE.

Year.	Grain.			Average per Acre.
	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	
1920	115,805	2,012,864	17.38	
1921	135,034	2,907,754	21.53	
1922	149,048	3,217,848	21.59	
1923	120,092	2,024,902	16.86	
1924	229,160	7,330,821	31.99	

Table No. XXIII.
MAIZE (GRAIN).

RETURN SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Division or Group.	Acres.	Produce.	Average.	Proportion of Divisional Area to Total Area of Maize for Grain.
Moreton ...	61,819	Bushels.	Bushels.	26.98
Wide Bay ...	50,225	1,695,248	27.42	21.92
Port Curtis ...	1,492	1,627,065	32.40	0.65
Edgecumbe ...	129	33,137	22.21	0.06
Rockingham ...	13,730	3,017	23.39	5.99
York Peninsula ...	104	515,273	37.53	0.04
Carpentaria ...	48	2,909	27.97	0.02
Central Western ...	...	608	12.67	...
South Western ...	8	...	...	0.00
Central ...	74	51	6.38	0.03
Maranoa ...	629	1,353	18.28	0.27
Downs ...	100,902	10,170	16.17	44.04
Total ...	229,160	3,441,990	34.11	100.00

Table No. XXIV.
MAIZE.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE IN EACH PRINCIPAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	Area for Grain.			Produce.			Average per Acre.		
	1923.	1924.	Increase or Decrease	1923.	1924.	Increase or Decrease	1923.	1924.	Increase or Decrease
	Acres.	Acres.	—	Bushels.	Bushels.	—	Bushels.	Bushels.	—
Allora ...	5,185	11,165	5,980	78,178	431,132	352,954	15.08	38.61	23.53
Atherton ...	10,411	13,544	3,133	447,094	511,663	64,569	42.94	37.78	5.16
Beaudesert ...	1,101	2,924	1,823	21,728	80,110	58,382	19.73	27.40	7.67
Clifton ...	6,423	16,475	10,052	86,901	649,786	562,885	13.53	39.44	25.91
Cooyar ...	864	1,692	828	13,180	48,524	35,344	15.25	28.68	13.43
Crow's Nest ...	6,056	7,815	1,759	115,051	278,377	163,326	19.00	35.62	16.62
Dalby ...	71	2,873	2,802	780	45,580	44,800	10.99	15.86	4.87
Dugandan ...	7,651	11,256	3,605	134,534	343,260	208,726	17.58	30.50	12.92
Esk ...	2,047	3,399	1,352	25,267	70,948	45,681	12.34	20.87	8.53
Gatton ...	3,460	7,554	4,094	31,969	227,087	195,118	9.24	30.06	20.82
Gayndah ...	1,296	2,222	926	16,700	52,964	36,264	12.89	23.84	10.95
Goombungee ...	2,104	4,313	2,209	39,450	113,088	73,638	18.75	26.22	8.47
Gympie ...	1,834	1,653	— 181	68,098	74,269	6,171	37.13	44.93	7.80
Harrisville ...	2,072	4,126	2,054	29,235	119,286	90,051	14.11	28.91	14.80
Helidon ...	224	1,964	1,740	3,284	52,180	48,896	14.66	26.57	11.91
Highfields ...	1,751	3,576	1,825	19,989	112,014	92,025	11.42	31.32	19.90
Jondaryan ...	439	3,261	2,822	2,963	58,563	55,600	6.75	17.96	11.21
Killarney ...	5,639	11,699	6,060	119,946	471,101	351,155	21.27	49.27	19.00
Laidley ...	5,601	7,658	2,057	54,053	204,127	150,074	9.65	26.66	17.01
Lowood ...	3,650	5,282	1,632	58,350	93,604	35,254	15.99	17.72	1.73
Marburg ...	533	1,530	997	4,933	17,905	12,972	9.26	11.70	2.44
Nanango ...	16,414	23,720	7,306	178,027	843,148	665,121	10.85	35.55	24.70
Oakey ...	2,981	11,443	8,462	31,352	304,459	273,107	10.52	26.61	16.09
Pittsworth ...	1,124	7,722	6,598	8,365	212,013	203,648	7.44	27.46	20.02
Rosewood ...	896	2,687	1,791	11,645	58,517	46,872	13.00	21.78	8.78
Toowoomba ...	2,087	6,220	4,133	25,977	200,082	174,105	12.45	32.17	19.72
Warwick ...	10,659	21,329	10,670	163,951	829,044	665,093	15.38	38.87	23.49
Wienholt ...	11,798	20,090	8,292	117,906	598,771	480,865	9.99	29.80	19.81
All other Districts ...	5,721	9,968	4,247	115,996	229,219	113,223	20.28	23.00	2.72
Total State ...	120,092	229,160	109,068	2,024,902	7,330,821	5,305,919	16.86	31.99	15.13

Table No. XXV.
OATS.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS SHOWING THE AREA UNDER CROP.

Oats.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Reaped for grain ...	4,690	2,274	1,216	216	4,010
Mown for hay ...	19,229	12,480	4,542	1,344	8,304
Cut for green fodder ...	33,375	49,793	36,200	46,083	29,519
Totals ...	57,294	64,547	41,958	47,643	41,833

Table No. XXVI.

OATS.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE RESULT OF THE GRAIN CROP.

Year.	Area for Grain.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
			Acres.
1923	216	2,427	11.24
1924	4,010	63,912	15.94
Increase, 1924	3,794	61,485	4.70

Table No. XXVII.

RYE.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE OF THE GRAIN CROP.

Year.	Area.	Produce.	Average per Acre.
			Acres.
1920	72	1,046	14.53
1921	5	60	12.00
1922	4	39	9.75
1923	9	64	7.11
1924	65	2,379	36.60

Table No. XXVIII.

POTATOES.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS SHOWING THE AREA, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE OF THE ENGLISH POTATO CROP.

	Acres.	Tons.	Value.		
				1920	1921
1920	8,770	19,068	£329,876		
1921	9,553	16,794	£119,237		
1922	7,649	10,517	£77,826		
1923	6,127	8,878	£131,505		
1924	9,493	20,314	£179,440		

Table No. XXIX.

COTTON.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE OF COTTON.

Petty Sessions District.	AREA.		Increase or Decrease—1924.	Bearing, 1924.	Not Bearing, 1924.	PRODUCE (UNGINNED).	
	1923.	1924.				1923.	1924.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Lbs.	Lbs.
Banana	34	129	95	116	13	6,274	45,101
Beaudesert	198	289	91	162	127	57,629	52,805
Biggenden	1,359	1,868	509	1,745	123	410,758	868,440
Brisbane (A)	150	109	41	100	9	39,003	49,175
Childers	291	195	96	159	36	42,099	58,683
Condamine	3,274	2,485	789	1,359	1,126	161,225	353,563
Dalby	3,792	4,732	940	2,825	1,907	111,176	688,282
Dugandan	1,073	1,077	4	600	477	369,794	226,797
Eidsvold	700	674	26	376	298	127,913	139,962
Emerald	790	529	261	451	78	114,361	145,210
Esk	795	521	274	351	170	180,921	138,254
Gatton	3,103	4,055	952	2,037	2,018	537,434	974,438
Gayndah	6,122	7,061	939	3,702	3,359	1,224,647	1,546,990
Gin Gin	327	408	81	310	98	89,164	106,900
Gladstone	3,791	5,424	1,633	4,286	1,138	1,375,492	1,328,100
Gympie	183	135	48	122	13	61,959	63,008
Harrisville	689	791	102	462	329	150,918	141,586
Helidon	196	667	471	578	89	100,613	181,192
Kilkivan	193	233	40	228	5	59,959	128,910
Laidley	1,643	2,030	387	1,264	766	460,629	526,356
Lowood	706	1,043	337	466	577	229,087	143,755
Marburg	361	420	59	347	73	168,027	78,779
Maryborough	306	137	169	135	2	71,772	49,711
Mount Morgan	8,982	13,388	4,406	7,950	5,438	2,166,634	2,245,122
Mount Perry	288	412	124	214	198	30,473	63,903
Nanango	1,223	2,069	846	1,278	791	208,356	413,039
Pittsworth	552	658	106	320	338	17,856	85,522
Rockhampton	14,240	12,813	-1,427	7,723	5,090	1,843,476	2,566,263
Roma	3,355	2,383	-972	1,296	1,087	310,738	323,499
Rosewood	699	783	84	662	121	154,237	200,505
Taroom	837	888	51	471	417	47,548	152,278
Tiaro	244	248	4	187	61	74,748	108,438
Wienholt	10,109	10,845	736	6,363	4,482	968,696	1,790,778
All Other Districts	3,919	2,675	-1,244	1,541	1,134	570,154	430,826
Total State	74,524	82,174	7,650	50,186	31,988	12,543,770	16,416,170

Table No. XXX.

SUGAR.

RETURN SHOWING THE NUMBER OF PLANTATIONS, AREA OF AND AVERAGE AREA FOR THE YEAR 1924.

—	Number of Plantations under 5 acres.	Number of Plantations, 5 acres and over.	Area under Cane.	Average to each Planter.
				Acres.
No. 1 District	40	1,690	93,347	54
No. 2 District	139	2,167	92,488	40
No. 3 District	375	1,744	58,819	28
No. 4 District	295	612	8,865	10
Total	849	6,213	253,519	36

Table No. XXXI.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS SHOWING THE NUMBER OF PLANTATIONS, AREA AND PRODUCE OF SUGAR-CANE.

Year.	Number of Plantations under 5 acres.	Number of Plantations 5 acres and over.	Average to each Planter.	Acres Cultivated.	Acres Crushed.	PRODUCE.	
						Tons Cane.	Tons Sugar, at 94 per cent. Net Titre.
1920 ...	...	3,930	41	162,619	89,142	1,339,455	167,401
1921 ...	...	4,465	41	184,513	122,956	2,287,416	282,198
1922 ...	...	4,971	41	202,303	140,850	2,167,990	287,785
1923 ...	746	5,487	35	219,965	138,742	2,045,808	269,175
1924 ...	849	6,213	36	253,519	167,649	3,171,341	409,136

The consumption per capita is estimated at 138 lb. of raw sugar.

Table No. XXXII.
RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS SHOWING PERCENTAGES OF YIELDS.

Year.	TO EACH ACRE CRUSHED.					Tons of Cane to One Ton of Sugar.
	Tons of Cane.	Tons of Sugar.				
1920 ...	15.03	1.88				8.00
1921 ...	18.60	2.30				8.11
1922 ...	15.39	2.04				7.53
1923 ...	14.75	1.94				7.60
1924 ...	18.92	2.44				7.75

Table No. XXXIII.

RETURN SHOWING AREA, PRODUCE, &c., IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Division and District.	Area for Plants.	Area Stand-over or Unproductive.	Area Crushed for Sugar.	Total Area for Sugar.	Weight of Cane.	Sugar, 94 N.T.	Molasses Returned.
<i>Rockingham and York Peninsula—</i>							
Cairns and Douglas	700	5,156	28,996	34,852	623,277	77,865	3,015,578
Ingham and Innisfail, &c.	1,331	16,291	40,873	58,495	885,709	112,082	4,380,510
Total	2,031	21,447	69,869	93,347	1,508,986	189,947	7,396,088
<i>Edgecumbe—</i>							
Ayr and Townsville	924	11,330	14,532	26,786	332,956	49,893	1,393,780
Proserpine and Bowen	72	3,635	4,190	7,897	63,396	8,920	260,000
Mackay	1,640	21,772	34,393	57,805	466,934	66,119	2,291,195
Total	2,636	36,737	53,115	92,488	863,286	124,932	3,944,975
<i>Wide Bay—</i>							
Bundaberg, Gin Gin, &c.	220	9,778	21,905	31,903	361,691	49,827	2,011,489
Biggenden, Childers, Maryborough, Tiaro, &c. }	235	7,646	16,004	23,885	287,791	31,253	1,223,694
Gympie*	6	337	330	673	7,818	...	...
Total	461	17,761	38,239	56,461	657,300	81,080	3,235,183
<i>Port Curtis—</i>							
Gladstone§ ...	14	118	360	492	4,369	...	...
St. Lawrence†	37	792	1,037	1,866	21,122	...	...
Total	51	910	1,397	2,358	25,491	...	...
<i>Moreton—</i>							
Logan and Nerang||	7	712	1,136	1,855	27,162	2,912	73,045
Maroochy, &c.	82	3,035	3,893	7,010	89,116	10,265	471,012
Total	89	3,747	5,029	8,865	116,278	13,177	544,057
TOTAL OF STATE	5,268	80,602	167,649	253,519	3,171,341	409,136	15,120,303

* Crushed in Maroochy and Tiaro. † Crushed in Mackay. ‡ Area exclusive of 1,666 acres cut for fodder.

§ Crushed in Bundaberg. || Part crushed in Maroochy.

Table No. XXXIV.

RETURN SHOWING THE SUGAR AVERAGES IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Divisions or Groups and Districts.	Tons of Cane per Acre Crushed.	Tons of Sugar per Acre Crushed.	Tons of Cane per Ton of Sugar.
Rockingham and York Peninsula—			
Cairns and Douglas, &c.	21.50	2.67	8.04
Ingham and Innisfail	21.67	2.81	7.71
Total	21.60	2.75	7.84
Edgecumbe—			
Ayr and Townsville	22.91	3.24	7.05
Bowen and Proserpine	15.13	2.08	7.25
Mackay	13.58	1.87	7.36
Total	16.25	2.27	7.23
Wide Bay—			
Bundaberg, Gin Gin, &c.	16.51	2.08	7.95
Biggenden, Childers, Maryborough, Tiaro, &c.	17.98	2.14	8.60
Gympie*	23.69	...	...
Total	17.19	2.10	8.20
Port Curtis—			
Gladstone §	12.14	...	...
St. Lawrence†	20.37	...	...
Total	18.25	...	...
Moreton—			
Logan and Nerang‡	23.91	2.59	9.26
Maroochy, &c.	22.89	2.58	8.39
Total	23.12	2.58	8.58
TOTAL STATE	18.92	2.44	7.75

* Crushed in Maroochy and Tiaro. † Crushed in Mackay. ‡ Part crushed in Maroochy. § Crushed in Bundaberg.

Table XXXV.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE.

Division.	AREA UNDER CULTIVATION.			PRODUCTION.						
	1923.	1924.	Increase or Decrease	1923.		1924.		Area Crushed.	Sugar.	Increase or Decrease in 1924.
				Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Tons.			
Rockingham and York Peninsula	79,498	93,347	13,849	58,882	161,227	69,869	189,947	10,987	28,720	
Edgecumbe	82,349	92,488	10,139	47,148	66,073	53,115	124,932	5,967	58,859	
Port Curtis*	1,739	2,358	619	902	...	1,397	...	495	...	
Wide Bay†	49,301	56,461	7,160	28,682	34,694	38,239	81,080	9,557	46,386	
Moreton	7,078	8,865	1,787	3,128	7,181	5,029	13,177	1,901	5,996	
Total	219,965	253,519	33,554	138,742	269,175	167,649	409,136	28,907	139,961	

* Crushed in Edgecumbe and Wide Bay.

† Part of the cane grown in Gympie was crushed in the Moreton Division.

Table No. XXXVI.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING PERCENTAGES IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE.

Division.	TO EACH ACRE CRUSHED.				TONS CANE TO EACH TON SUGAR	
	Tons of Cane.		Tons of Sugar.		1923.	1924.
	1923.	1924.	1923.	1924.		
Rockingham and York Peninsula	20.13	21.60	2.74	2.75	7.35	7.84
Edgecumbe	10.52	16.25	1.38	2.27	7.63	7.23
Port Curtis	11.23	18.25	*	*	*	*
Wide Bay	10.22	17.19	1.21	2.10	8.48	8.20
Moreton	19.69	23.12	2.24	2.58	8.74	8.58
Total	14.75	18.92	1.94	2.44	7.60	7.75

* Included in Edgecumbe and Wide Bay.

Table No. XXXVII.

RETURN SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF SUGAR-CANE AND SUGAR BEET IN AUSTRALIA FOR THE YEAR 1924.

	Area under Cultivation.	Area Cut or Dug for Manufacture.	Yield of Cane, &c.	Sugar Obtained.
Queensland	Acres. 253,519	Acres. 167,649	Tons. 3,171,341	Tons. 409,136
New South Wales	17,315	6,733	132,084	16,829
Victoria (beet)	1,897	1,897	24,468	3,017

Table No. XXXVIII.

RETURN SHOWING NUMBER OF SUGAR MILLS IN QUEENSLAND DURING THE YEAR 1923.

Manufactories.	Works.	Hands Employed.	VALUATION.		
			Machinery.	Land and Premises.	Output.
			£	£	£
Refineries	No. 2	370	4,265,000	807,704	8,861,308
Sugar Mills	No. 37	5,555			
Total	39	5,925			

NOTE.—In addition, 2 mills were closed during the year.

N.B.—These are the latest figures available.

Table No. XXXIX.
SUGAR MILLS.

RETURN SHOWING THE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE RENDERED TO SUGAR MILLS, &c., AND THEIR PRESENT INDEBTEDNESS AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1924.

Number of Sugar Mill Companies to which advances have been made under—

1. The Sugar Works Guarantee Acts	..	..	..	..	..	13
2. "The Sugar Works Act of 1911" (Babinda, South Johnstone, and Tully River)	..	..	..	..	..	3
From Consolidated Revenue (North Eton and Racecourse)	..	..	..	..	..	2
From General Loan Fund	..	..	..	..	..	7

Number of Tramway Companies to which advances have been made under—

3. The Sugar Works Guarantee Acts (Double Peak)	..	..	..	..	..	1
4. Under other conditions	..	..	..	..	..	None.

5. Total amount of advances made to 31st December, 1924, under the Sugar Works Guarantee Acts—

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Marian Mill	39,000	0	0			
Mount Bauple Mill	32,480	16	1			
Pleystowe Mill	35,472	1	3			
Nerang River Mill	19,998	18	10			
Gin Gin Mill	50,000	0	0			
Plane Creek Mill	65,000	0	0			
North Eton Mill	18,200	0	0			
Proserpine Mill	54,000	0	0			
Moreton Mill	32,864	15	0			
Mulgrave Mill	46,000	0	0			
Isis Mill	38,636	0	0			
Mossman Mill	66,300	0	0			
Johnstone Mill	847	17	8			
	498,800	8	10			

6. Under "The Sugar Works Act of 1911"—

Babinda Mill	405,429	18	8			
South Johnstone Mill	600,997	18	10			
Tully River Mill	471,340	1	9			
	1,477,767	19	3			

From Consolidated Revenue—

North Eton Mill	26,000	0	0			
Racecourse Mill	21,000	0	0			
	47,000	0	0			

From General Loan Fund—

North Eton Mill	62,965	18	4			
Mount Bauple Mill	8,500	0	0			
Gin Gin Mill	2,000	0	0			
Proserpine Mill	17,765	9	4			
Moreton Mill	14,350	0	0			
Mossman Mill	14,071	14	0			
	119,653	1	8			

7. Indebtedness at 31st December, 1924, under the Sugar Works Guarantee Acts—

Mount Bauple Mill	14,385	19	11			
North Eton Mill	6,433	5	6			
	20,819	5	5			

8. Under "The Sugar Works Act of 1911"—

Babinda Mill	245,858	2	9			
South Johnstone Mill	507,128	12	9			
Tully River Mill	471,340	1	9			
	1,224,326	17	3			

Under Consolidated Revenue—

North Eton Mill	4,876	16	7			
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Under General Loan Fund—

North Eton Mill	46,673	18	11			
Mount Bauple Mill	8,670	0	0			
Proserpine Mill	1,495	19	3			
Mossman Mill	Nil					
	56,839	18	2			

Table No. XL.

ARROWROOT.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING AREA AND PRODUCE, &c., OF ARROWROOT TUBERS IN PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.

Petty Sessions District.	1923.		1924.		Increase or Decrease—1924.	
	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.
					Acres.	Tons.
Atherton	1	5	...	...	— 1	— 5
Cleveland	4	35	...	...	— 4	— 35
Esk	1	1	2	7	1	6
Gladstone	...	...	4	26	4	26
Gympie	8	25	3	13	— 5	— 12
Kilcoy	4	41	5	72	1	31
Logan	88	766	190	2,093	102	1,327
Marburg	...	...	1	3	1	3
Maroochy	4	42	4	55	...	13
Nerang	156	1,107	215	2,649	59	1,542
Redcliffe	3	10	...	...	— 3	— 10
Rosewood	2	6	3	10	1	4
Tiaro	2	4	2	5	...	1
Woodford	1	1	2	6	1	5
Total State	274	2,043	431	4,939	157	2,896

Table No. XLI.

RETURN SHOWING ARROWROOT MANUFACTURED DURING THE YEAR 1923.

Petty Sessions District.	Hands Employed.		Tuber.	Arrowroot.
	Number.	Tons.		
Cleveland
Logan
Nerang
		46	1,543	340,760

N.B.—These are the latest figures available.

Table No. XLII.

TOBACCO.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING AREA AND PRODUCTION OF TOBACCO.

Division and Petty Sessions District.	1923.		1924.		Increase or Decrease—1924.	
	Area.	Produce Dried Leaf.	Area.	Produce Dried Leaf.	Acres.	Lb.
					3	536
<i>Moreton—</i>						
Lowood	...	...	...	...	...	...
<i>Port Curtis—</i>						
Gladstone	...	...	1	1,800	1	1,800
<i>Edgecumbe—</i>						
Bowen	7	4,417	11	7,574	4	3,157
Proserpine	1	370	3	2,400	2	2,030
Townsville	2	1,620	8	6,513	6	5,493
<i>Rockingham—</i>						
Innisfail	1	250	...	...	1	250
<i>Downs—</i>						
Inglewood	62	44,218	21	14,695	41	— 29,523
Texas	199	158,923	118	100,181	81	— 58,742
Toowoomba	1	150	1	150	...	...
Total State	276	211,266	166	135,767	— 110	— 75,499

Table No. XLIII.

COFFEE.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING AREA AND PRODUCTION OF COFFEE.

DIVISION AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICT.	Not Bearing.		Bearing.				Average per Acre (Bearing).		1924. Increase or Decrease— Bearing Area.	1924. Increase or Decrease— in Produce.		
	1923.		1923.		1924.		1923.					
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Lb. (Parchment.)	Acres.	Lb. (Parchment.)	Lb.	Lb.				
Moreton— Maroochy	4	3	10	4,692	12	5,790	469	483	2	1,098		
Wide Bay— Maryborough ... ...	...	...	1	500	1	270	500	270	...	—230
Edgecumbe— Proserpine ... ...	...	...	1	224	1	100	224	100	...	—124
Rockingham— Atherton ... ...	...	...	3	5,200	...	...	1,733	...	—3	—5,200
Totals	4	3	15	10,616	14	6,160	708	440	—1	—4,456		

Table No. XLIV.

VINES.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING AREA AND PRODUCTION OF VINES.

Year.	VINEYARD.			Grapes Gathered.	Average per Acre (Bearing).
	Acres Bearing.	Acres not Bearing.	Total.		
1923	989	280	1,269	3,073,600	3,108
1924	1,137	442	1,579	2,664,089	2,343

Table No. XLV.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING AREA UNDER VINES AND PRODUCTION OF GRAPES IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	AREA UNDER VINES.									
	1923.			1924.			Increase or Decrease—.	1923.	1924.	
	Bearing.	Not Bearing.	Total Area.	Bearing.	Not Bearing.	Total Area.				
Brisbane (A)	250	41	291	341	54	395	104	489,594	882,705	
Charters Towers	14	2	16	15	2	17	1	48,595	41,372	
Dalby	4	...	4	3	1	4	...	12,999	19,345	
Lowood	39	1	40	25	8	33	— 7	127,650	46,262	
Maryborough	17	12	29	15	4	19	—10	31,851	32,220	
Nanango	8	...	8	4	...	4	— 4	29,608	16,735	
Rockhampton	21	1	22	21	1	22	...	31,164	47,618	
Roma	309	20	329	248	108	356	27	703,564	482,602	
Stanthorpe	160	171	331	278	234	512	181	1,266,037	774,549	
Toowoomba	24	...	24	18	1	19	— 5	31,894	29,555	
Warwick	41	17	58	61	12	73	15	118,554	71,186	
Wynnum	5	...	5	10	...	10	5	22,730	39,115	
All other Districts	97	15	112	98	17	115	3	159,360	180,825	
Totals	989	280	1,269	1,137	442	1,579	310	3,073,600	2,664,089	

Table No. XLVI.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS, SHOWING THE AVERAGE PRODUCTION OF GRAPES IN CERTAIN PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	1920. Average per Acre.	1921. Average per Acre.	1922. Average per Acre.	1923. Average per Acre.	1924. Average per Acre.
Brisbane (A)	Lb. 1,962	Lb. 1,427	Lb. 1,397	Lb. 1,958	Lb. 2,589
Roma	2,813	2,833	3,075	2,277	1,946
Stanthorpe	2,967	3,833	3,585	7,913	2,786
Toowoomba	1,672	1,392	1,425	1,329	1,642
Warwick	598	2,276	1,447	2,892	1,167
State	2,312	2,245	2,188	3,108	2,343

Table No. XLVII.

WINE.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS, SHOWING NUMBER OF MAKERS, WINE MADE, AND WINE SPIRIT DISTILLED.

Year.								Number of Makers.	Quantity of Wine Made.	Quantity of Wine Spirit Distilled.
1920	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	Gallons. 71,403	Gallons. 1,700
1921	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	57,793	642
1922	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	53,171	905
1923	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	37,242	640
1924	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	33,119	234

Table No. XLVIII.

RETURN SHOWING THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS IN WHICH WINE WAS MADE DURING THE YEAR 1924.

Petty Sessions District.	Number of Makers.	Quantity of Wine Made.	Quantity of Wine Spirit Distilled. 1924-5.
Brisbane (A and B), including Wynnum	10	2,262	...
Lowood	1	2,000	...
Maryborough	4	1,550	...
Roma	2	19,600	...
Toowoomba	12	2,719	...
Warwick	1	1,800	...
All other Districts	28	3,188	...
Totals	58	33,119	234

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Table No. XLIX.
BANANAS.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF BANANAS IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Produce.		Increase or Decrease—1924.	
	1923.	1924.	1923.	1924.	Area.	Produce.
	Acres.	Acres.	Bunches.	Bunches.	Acres.	Bunches.
Brisbane (A) ...	1,082	1,061	239,871	224,304	— 21	— 15,567
Caboolture ...	293	350	40,361	95,861	57	55,503
Cairns ...	96	143	13,148	25,093	47	11,945
Gladstone ...	127	186	18,022	24,952	59	6,930
Gympie ...	3,454	4,788	652,362	931,356	1,334	278,994
Kilcoy ...	95	202	5,860	22,504	107	16,644
Logan ...	505	517	60,259	84,626	12	24,367
Maroochy ...	2,903	2,990	469,365	517,080	87	47,715
Maryborough ...	397	333	51,141	70,732	— 64	19,591
Nerang ...	885	830	150,012	136,276	— 55	— 13,736
Redcliffe ...	745	746	118,349	149,500	1	31,151
Rockhampton ...	311	451	31,665	61,416	140	29,751
Tiaro ...	221	244	25,380	41,070	23	15,690
Wynnum ...	11	29	3,255	16,409	18	13,154
All other Districts ...	543	621	74,711	62,601	78	— 12,110
Totals ...	11,668	13,491	1,953,761	2,463,783	1,823	510,022

Table No. L.

RETURN SHOWING THE AVERAGE YIELD OF BANANAS IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924.

	Average per Acre— Bunches.		Average per Acre— Bunches.	
Brisbane (A) ...	211	Maroochy ...	...	173
Caboolture ...	274	Maryborough ...	...	212
Cairns ...	175	Nerang ...	...	164
Gladstone ...	134	Redcliffe ...	...	200
Gympie ...	195	Rockhampton ...	...	136
Kilcoy ...	111	Tiaro ...	...	168
Logan ...	164	Wynnum ...	...	566

Table No. LI.

PINEAPPLES.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF PINEAPPLES IN THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	1923.		1924.		Increase or Decrease—1924.	
	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.	Area.	Produce.
	Acres.	Dozen.	Acres.	Dozen.	Acres.	Dozen.
Bowen ...	50	5,472	65	9,819	15	4,347
Brisbane (A) ...	378	105,302	336	94,396	42	— 10,906
Brisbane (B) ...	138	32,783	128	32,148	10	— 635
Caboolture ...	365	77,200	336	91,557	29	14,357
Cleveland ...	857	281,187	829	263,269	28	— 17,918
Gympie ...	25	2,019	42	9,598	17	7,579
Logan ...	142	37,935	128	53,304	14	15,369
Maroochy ...	1,301	343,245	1,189	318,443	112	— 24,802
Maryborough ...	115	20,904	102	21,444	13	540
Rockhampton ...	147	17,751	182	21,323	35	3,572
Wynnum ...	111	19,337	100	21,435	11	2,098
All other Districts ...	296	39,283	272	36,721	24	— 2,562
Total ...	3,925	982,418	3,709	973,457	216	8,961

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Table No. LII.

ORANGES.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS, SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF ORANGES IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Bearing, 1924.	Not yet Bearing, 1924.	Produce.		Increase or Decrease - 1924.	
	1923.	1924.	Area.	Area.	1923.	1924.	Area.	Produce.
					Acres.	Acres.		
Atherton ...	14	11	7	4	1,000	1,594	- 3	594
Bowen ...	142	139	109	30	2,907	6,515	- 3	148
Bri-bane (B) ...	8	9	8	1	1,276	2,759	1	5,239
Caboolture ...	101	56	35	21	3,779	2,714	- 45	1,065
Cairns ...	99	44	42	2	13,215	12,330	- 55	885
Cardwell ...	62	77	69	8	5,744	7,664	15	1,920
Charters Towers ...	58	60	41	19	3,453	4,709	2	1,256
Childers ...	39	58	26	32	2,397	2,078	19	319
Cook ...	70	69	47	22	3,967	2,829	- 1	1,138
Gatton ...	46	57	53	4	2,684	3,682	11	998
Gayndah ...	52	61	33	28	2,785	4,396	9	1,611
Gin Gin ...	8	7	7	...	1,573	1,692	- 1	119
Glad-tone ...	15	24	10	14	1,080	2,935	9	1,855
Gympie ...	42	35	23	12	1,278	2,768	- 7	1,490
Ingham ...	24	29	20	9	2,142	2,925	5	783
Logan ...	96	97	72	25	9,257	8,978	1	279
Mackay ...	41	50	36	14	3,701	5,460	9	1,759
Maroochy ...	1,454	1,380	861	519	91,476	111,042	- 74	19,566
Maryborough ...	502	485	363	122	21,352	25,876	- 17	4,524
Nerang ...	88	87	40	47	3,368	3,626	- 1	258
Proserpine ...	18	17	14	3	797	1,696	- 1	899
Rockhampton ...	229	368	243	125	13,027	14,954	139	1,927
Roma ...	27	41	17	24	661	3,558	14	2,897
Tiaro ...	79	73	56	17	4,368	5,309	- 6	941
Woodford ...	18	17	13	4	2,144	2,392	- 1	248
All other Districts ...	561	520	364	156	20,906	18,310	- 41	- 2,596
Total ...	3,893	3,871	2,609	1,262	220,337	262,791	- 22	42,454

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane

Table No. LIII.

MANGOES.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS, SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF MANGOES IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Bearing, 1924.	Not yet Bearing, 1924.	Produce.		Increase or Decrease - 1924.	
	1923.	1924.			1923.	1924.	Acres.	Bushels.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Acres.	Bushels.
Bowen ...	28	28	23	5	5,746	5,872	...	126
Brisbane (A) ...	4	6	5	1	1,150	1,721	2	571
Brisbane (B) ...	3	3	3	...	992	1,030	...	38
Cairns ...	8	5	5	...	2,440	612	- 3	1,828
Cleveland ...	5	4	3	1	333	1,295	- 1	962
Coen ...	3	3	1	2	1,135	1,245	...	110
Cook ...	10	11	11	...	6,140	6,760	1	620
Gin Gin ...	2	2	2	...	1,552	1,190	...	362
Gladstone ...	2	7	4	3	472	724	5	252
Gympie ...	3	2	2	...	1,040	690	- 1	350
Ingham ...	22	21	17	4	11,975	3,482	- 1	8,493
Logan ...	12	6	4	2	1,365	870	- 6	496
Mackay ...	32	43	41	2	9,330	8,834	11	496
Maryborough ...	4	4	4	...	1,642	1,221	...	421
Proserpine ...	12	13	13	...	1,649	5,278	1	3,629
Redcliffe ...	5	7	7	...	1,506	1,379	2	127
Rockhampton ...	40	45	40	5	5,467	5,873	5	411
Tiaro ...	10	8	8	...	2,500	1,048	- 2	- 1,452
Townsville ...	11	11	10	1	2,330	3,294	...	964
All other Districts ...	38	50	42	8	6,802	4,181	12	- 2,621
Totals ...	254	279	245	34	65,567	56,604	25	- 8,963

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Table No. LIV.

STRAWBERRIES.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF STRAWBERRIES IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Produce.		Increase or Decrease —	
	1923	1924.	1923.	1924.	1924.	1924.
Brisbane (A) ...	Acres. 12	Acres. 19	Quarts. 8,259	Quarts. 20,432	Acres. 7	Quarts. 12,173
Brisbane (B) ...	2	2	731	1,657	...	926
Caboolture	...	2	...	1,200	2	1,200
Cleveland	63	81	59,684	124,962	18	65,278
Maroochy	23	25	26,179	25,456	2	723
Rockhampton	2	3	2,864	4,120	1	1,256
Wynnum	15	16	16,911	39,453	1	22,542
All other Districts	1	2	1,330	470	1	860
Totals	118	150	115,958	217,750	32	101,792

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Table No. LV.

APPLES.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF APPLES IN THE PRINCIPAL DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	Area.		Increase or Decrease — 1924.	Bearing, 1924.	Not Bearing, 1924.	Produce.		Increase or Decrease — 1924.
	1923.	1924.				1923.	1924.	
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
Nanango ...	8	2	— 6	1	1	189	58	— 131
Stanthorpe ...	3,597	4,013	416	2,158	1,855	103,826	96,372	— 7,454
Toowoomba ...	6	6	..	5	1	96	145	49
Warwick ...	265	315	50	154	161	1,554	1,910	356
All other Districts ...	32	23	— 9	13	10	187	159	— 28
Totals ...	3,908	4,359	451	2,331	2,028	105,852	98,644	— 7,208

Table No. LVI.

OTHER FRUITS.

RETURN SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF OTHER FRUITS DURING THE YEAR 1924

		Acres.	Yield.
Apricots ...	...	91	2,713 bushels
Cape gooseberries ...	...	27	28,103 quarts
Cherries ...	...	7	670 bushels
Custard apples ...	...	284	28,798 bushels
Figs ...	...	17	945 bushels
Lemons ...	...	268	20,733 bushels
Nectarines ...	...	161	5,347 bushels
Passion fruit ...	...	71	6,639 bushels
Papaws ...	...	341	73,895 dozen
Peaches ...	...	1,939	97,266 bushels
Pears ...	...	275	8,019 bushels
Persimmons ...	...	14	1,191 bushels
Plums ...	...	1,145	39,107 bushels
Quinces ...	...	23	465 bushels
Rosellas ...	...	1	2,996 lb.

Table No. LVII.

OTHER VEGETABLES.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS, SHOWING AREA AND PRODUCTION OF OTHER VEGETABLES.

Other Vegetables.	1923.		1924.	
	Acres.	Produce.	Acres.	Produce.
Pulse { Beans	12	693 bushels	6	591 bushels
{ Peas	61	2,050 bushels	137	2,659 bushels
Green { Beans	499	35,761 bushels	556	49,151 bushels
{ Peas	386	24,075 bushels	359	22,250 bushels
Beetroot	2	2 tons	1	10 tons
Cabbages and Cauliflowers ...	1,057	230,120 dozen	929	210,696 dozen
Chocos ... ..	...	...	1	950 dozen
Cucumbers	311	120,051 dozen	328	145,126 dozen
Marrows	20	36 tons	11	38 tons
Onions	106	2,435 cwt.	194	16,317 cwt.
Tomatoes	2,579	220,628 bushels	2,583	297,080 bushels
Turnips	82	291 tons	83	426 tons

Table No. LVIII.

PRINCIPAL OTHER CROPS.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS, SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF OTHER CROPS.

	1923.		1924.	
	Acres.	Produce.	Acres.	Produce.
Broom millet	457	173,041 lb. straw	554	233,944 lb. straw
Canary seed ... ..	...	...	3,991	1,658,960 lb.
Cocoanuts	682	27,945 dozen	821	38,110 dozen
Grass seed	438	4,740 bushels	1,043	28,297 bushels
Indiarubber	4	Nil	3	Nil
Lucerne seed	29	940 lb.	45	3,200 lb.
Mangold wurzel	85	502 tons	98	838 tons
Millet seed	143	3,934 bushels	713	19,636 bushels
Peanuts	210	167,873 lb.	691	1,005,393 lb.

Table No. LIX.

PASTURAGE.

RETURN FOR FIVE YEARS, SHOWING THE AREA UNDER PASTURAGE.

	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Hay	94,212	98,155	78,050	46,909	95,007
Green forage	142,554	147,135	188,636	306,693	134,109
Artificially sown pasture ...	450,780	459,914	475,226	498,552	538,165
Total	687,546	705,204	741,912	852,154	767,281

Table No. LX.

HAY.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS, SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCTION OF HAY CROPS.

Hay Crops.	Area.		Increase or Decrease — 1924.	Produce.		Increase or Decrease — 1924.
	1923.	1924.		1923.	1924.	
Wheat	8,714	9,457	743	5,095	9,851	4,756
Oats	1,344	8,304	6,960	1,305	10,457	9,152
Lucerne	33,505	61,089	27,584	32,841	94,275	61,434
Other	3,346	16,157	12,811	4,166	22,221	18,055
Totals	46,909	95,007	48,098	43,407	136,804	93,397

Table No. LXI.
ARTIFICIALLY SOWN PASTURE.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS, SHOWING THE AREA UNDER ARTIFICIALLY SOWN PASTURES.

Petty Sessions District.							1923.	1924.	Increase, 1924.	Decrease, 1924.
							Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Atherton	...	...	...	...	...	...	38,062	43,859	5,797	...
Beaudesert	...	...	...	...	...	...	11,956	9,543	...	2,413
Biggenden	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,045	19,634	589	...
Dalby	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,001	22,368	4,367	...
Dugandan	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,308	5,575	2,267	...
Gatton	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,992	5,445	2,453	...
Gayndah	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,288	18,051	763	...
Gladstone	...	...	...	...	...	...	16,595	19,671	3,076	...
Gympie	...	...	...	...	...	...	98,245	98,989	744	...
Maroochy	...	...	...	...	...	...	48,884	55,074	6,190	...
Mount Morgan	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,008	14,665	1,657	...
Nanango	...	...	...	...	...	...	39,341	45,245	5,904	...
Nerang	...	...	...	...	...	...	27,796	26,408	...	1,388
Pittsworth	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,667	5,702	3,035	...
Rockhampton	...	...	...	...	...	...	23,492	22,068	...	1,424
Wienholt	...	...	...	...	...	...	76,158	74,417	...	1,741
Woodford	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,356	12,087	1,731	...
All other Districts	...	...	...	...	...	...	31,358	39,364	8,006	...
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	...	498,552	538,165	39,613	...

Table No. LXII.

ENSILAGE.

RETURN FOR TWO YEARS, SHOWING NUMBER OF MAKERS AND ENSILAGE MADE IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE.

Petty Sessions District.	1923.		1924.		Increase or - Decrease, 1924.	Increase or - Decrease, 1924
	No. of Makers.	Tons.	No. of Makers.	Tons.		
Atherton	...	276	8	595	5	319
Biggenden	...	...	1	60	1	60
Brisbane (A)	...	250	4	400	— 1	150
Brisbane (B)	8	582	4	830	— 4	248
Cairns	1	80	1	90	...	10
Charters Towers	1	75	...	...	— 1	— 75
Cleveland	1	1	...	...	— 1	— 1
Condamine	...	...	1	25	1	25
Dalby	...	...	1	40	1	40
Dugandan	...	...	1	60	1	60
Eidsvold	...	...	2	22	2	22
Esk	15	1,440	30	2,393	15	953
Gatton	2	222	1	600	— 1	378
Gin Gin	1	40	...	...	— 1	— 40
Gympie	6	590	6	419	...	171
Harrisville	...	...	5	145	5	145
Helidon	...	...	1	30	1	30
Herberton	...	...	1	45	1	45
Kilcoy	5	144	2	95	— 3	— 49
Kilkivan	1	60	...	...	— 1	— 60
Killarney	1	50	4	180	3	130
Laidley	1	70	...	...	— 1	— 70
Marburg	1	50	...	...	— 1	— 50
Maroochy	4	154	1	25	— 3	— 129
Maryborough	1	50	...	...	— 1	— 50
Nanango	2	130	1	60	— 1	— 70
Nerang	1	15	3	220	2	205
Oakey	...	...	5	231	5	231
Redcliffe	3	80	5	130	2	50
Rockhampton	1	6	3	31	2	25
Rosewood	2	170	3	176	1	6
Stanthorpe	...	...	1	70	1	70
Texas	...	...	1	3	1	3
Toowoomba	2	108	4	210	2	102
Townsville	...	...	1	10	1	10
Warwick	1	15	2	900	1	885
Wienholt	1	75	...	...	— 1	— 75
Woodford	1	100	1	100	...	...
Totals	71	4,833	104	8,195	33	3,362

N.B.—Brisbane (B) refers to South Brisbane.

Table No. LXIII.

RETURN SHOWING THE RESULTS OF THE DAIRYING INDUSTRY IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924.

District.	Total Milk Obtained.	HOW UTILISED.							ESTABLISHMENTS.			DAIRY CATTLE.		Average per Cow.	BUTTER MADE.			CHEESE MADE.			
		For Butter on Farms.	For Cheese on Farms.	For Domestic Purposes by Producer.	Separated for Sale.	Sold for Consumption as Milk.	Sold to Condensed Milk Factories.	Sold to Cheese Factories.	Dairying.	Butter Factories.	Cheese Factories.	In Milk.	Dry.		At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	
		Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Gallons.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	
Moreton—																					
Brisbane (A)	2,068,841	89,829	196,852	546,007	1,236,153	...	540	...	...	...	6,314	2,374	238	35,911	35,911	...	...	...	...
Brisbane (B)	649,742	6,780	47,582	7,160	588,220	...	47	142	1	...	1,370	831	295	2,993	2,993	...	...	...	...
Beaudesert	5,259,023	149,127	138,485	4,942,401	29,010	...	455	...	1	...	13,180	5,705	278	1,559,593	69,871	1,629,464	...	...	...	...
Caboolture	554,017	15,728	16,195	500,624	21,470	...	89	1	...	...	2,493	760	170	2,660,035	7,664	2,687,699	...	...	...	...
Cleveland	107,302	1,400	69,804	36,098	...	...	98	...	...	...	308	165	227	...	469	469	...	...	...	...
Cooyer	726,048	36,412	24,040	665,596	...	...	97	...	1	...	2,711	563	222	...	36,412	36,412	...	...	...	...
Crow's Nest	4,423,734	112,215	86,740	4,222,589	2,190	...	326	...	1	...	7,512	3,121	416	963,490	50,806	1,014,296	...	...	...	...
Dugandan	2,632,387	140,709	120,786	2,356,496	14,396	...	568	1	...	...	9,341	1,991	232	2,135,385	56,865	2,192,250	...	...	...	...
Esk	3,317,136	81,295	123,841	1,825,602	9,700	1,276,698	...	393	1	...	12,425	3,528	208	728,491	37,153	765,644	...	...	...	...
Gatton	3,105,622	137,697	143,533	2,823,197	545	...	650	574	2	...	7,273	2,577	315	1,250,223	63,663	1,313,886	631	631	631	631	
Goodna	144,881	...	36,355	85,769	22,757	...	...	26	...	...	370	150	279	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Harrisville	2,107,535	93,910	67,388	1,879,479	66,758	...	358	...	...	...	7,040	1,358	251	...	44,962	44,962	...	...	...	...
Heildon	1,179,903	93,035	50,142	1,029,235	7,491	...	231	...	...	...	3,223	1,528	248	...	36,351	36,351	...	...	...	...
Ipswich	1,038,680	35,837	51,969	777,063	173,811	...	189	...	3	...	3,829	1,037	213	2,302,584	17,464	2,320,048	...	...	...	...
Kilcoy	1,534,158	49,416	48,169	1,434,751	1,822	...	137	...	...	...	5,537	1,499	218	...	22,805	22,805	...	...	...	...
Laidley	1,352,669	84,210	117,765	1,145,917	4,777	...	436	...	1	...	6,273	673	195	997,846	37,233	1,035,079	...	...	...	...
Logan	1,893,441	166,997	94,285	1,282,616	349,543	...	426	...	1	...	6,220	1,840	235	3,676,512	44,249	3,720,761	...	...	...	...
Lowood	2,419,543	97,588	70,541	2,251,414	...	...	301	...	...	...	5,531	2,566	299	...	25,298	25,298	...	...	...	...
Marburg	1,204,199	45,083	56,449	1,075,263	27,404	...	199	...	...	...	3,670	486	290	...	22,532	22,532	...	...	...	...
Maroochy	5,561,193	212,728	232,793	5,078,307	17,365	...	1,030	...	2	...	16,448	4,057	271	2,004,905	101,679	2,106,584	...	...	...	...
Nerang	a 5,106,140	125,223	85,705	4,307,410	101,347	401,450	85,005	335	...	1	15,241	2,926	281	...	43,396	43,396	82,080	82,080	82,080	82,080	
Redcliffe	2,510,690	31,187	53,010	1,549,645	876,848	...	273	1	...	...	8,373	2,659	228	588,114	12,721	600,835	...	...	...	...
Rosewood	1,932,813	68,490	57,658	1,435,763	326,346	...	44,556	319	...	1	7,222	1,265	228	...	34,274	34,274	46,318	46,318	46,318	46,318	
Southport	243,845	3,709	5,566	124,916	41,860	67,794	...	29	...	...	835	260	223	...	1,571	1,571	...	...	...	...
Woodford	1,787,536	38,497	40,600	1,708,439	...	...	157	1	...	...	6,416	1,333	231	758,273	18,911	777,184	...	...	...	...
Wynnum	176,309	4,124	28,237	2,190	141,758	...	59	...	...	...	527	161	256	...	1,856	1,856	...	...	...	...
Total Moreton	53,037,387	1,921,226	...	2,084,490	43,057,849	4,097,669	1,745,942	130,211	7,787	16	2	159,682	45,413	259	19,625,451	827,109	20,452,560	129,029	129,029	129,029	
Wide Bay—																					
Biggenden	2,677,385	101,897	...	65,469	2,315,151	...	194,868	298	1	1	11,282	2,862	189	1,204,630	42,150	1,246,780	200,329	...	200,329	...	
Bundaberg	1,013,229	112,636	125,653	689,602	85,338	...	401	1	...	...	3,665	1,668	190	646,571	47,224	693,795	...	...	...	...
Childers	237,740	43,873	53,355	131,263	9,249	...	217	...	...	...	1,189	621	131	...	21,531	21,531	...	...	...	...
Eidsvold	316,739	15,185	7,519	293,375	660	...	59	...	3	...	1,246	481	183	...	5,224	5,224	403,878	403,878	403,878	403,878	
Gayndah	4,159,956	162,574	124,428	3,437,738	20,019	...	415,197	543	2	3	15,855	5,813	192	2,136,655	68,160	2,204,815	403,878	403,878	403,878	403,878	
Gin Gin	432,686	61,950	43,505	327,231	...	...	181	...	4	...	2,118	1,445	121	...	30,939	30,939	...	...	...	...
Gympie	13,084,562	285,942	261,443	12,476,071	61,106	...	985	...	4	...	3,698	11,422	270	7,158,945	117,351	7,276,296	...	...	...	...
Kilkivan	947,715	39,650	31,273	876,427	365	...	117	...	...	...	2,634	993	261	...	19,158	19,158	...	...	...	...
Maryborough	1,601,593	128,596	65,826	1,257,528	149,643	...	360	1	...	...	5,256	3,550	182	963,394	53,000	1,016,394	...	...	...	...
Mount Perry	177,009	38,769	12,577	125,663	...	...	49	...	...	...	946	183	157	...	9,656	9,656	...	...	...	...
Nanango	8,116,854	300,681	250,214	7,418,710	26,976	...	120,273	900	2	1	21,667	7,245	281	3,877,815	141,822	4,019,637	120,224	120,224	120,224	120,224	
Tiaro	2,046,063	87,336	4,950	54,564	1,899,213	...	254	...	...	...	8,073	2,565	192	...	43,789	43,789	4,950	4,950	4,950	4,950
Wienholt	7,972,556	239,106	...	268,304	7,418,881	46,265	...	911	1	...	22,731	7,482	264	3,479,960	119,711	3,599,671	...	...	...	...
Total Wide Bay	42,784,087	1,618,195	4,950	1,364,130	38,666,853	399,621	...	730,338	5,275	12	5	133,647	46,330	238	19,467,970	719,715	20,187,685	724,431	4,950	729,381	
Port Curtis—																					
Banana	4,444	1,192	3,252	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	31	47	57	...	540	540	...	...	...	...
Gladstone	4,066,417	207,343	97,483	3,738,158	23,433	...	458	1	...	...	12,420	6,402	216	1,934,001	76,966	2,010,967	...	...	...	...
Mount Morgan	732,863	58,052	57,523	581,514	35,774	...	202	1	...	...	2,800	1,988	153	313,824	19,748	333,572	...	...	...	...
Rockhampton	3,021,088	290,123	183	178,286	2,206,297	346,199	...	736	2	...	11,962	8,301	149	972,717	95,392	1,068,109	183	183	183	183	
St. Lawrence	41,402	23,832	...	16,572	...	998	...	41	...	...	217	189	102	...	7,165	7,165	...	...	...	...
Total Port Curtis	7,866,214	580,542	183	353,116	6,525,969	406,404	1,441	4	...	27,430	16,927	177	3,220,542	199,811	3,420,353	...	183	183	183

Table No. LXIII.—continued.

RETURN SHOWING THE RESULTS OF THE DAIRYING INDUSTRY IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924—continued.

District.	Total Milk Obtained.	HOW UTILISED.							ESTABLISHMENTS.			DAIRY CATTLE.		Average per Cow.	BUTTER MADE.			CHEESE MADE.			
		For Butter on Farms.	For Cheese on Farms.	For Domestic Purposes by Producer.	Separated for Sale.	Sold for Consumption as Milk.	Sold to Condensed Milk Factories.	Sold to Cheese Factories.	Dairying.	Butter Factories.	Cheese Factories.	In Milk.	Dry.		At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	At Factories.	By Farmers.	Total.	
		Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	Gallons.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Gallons.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	
<i>Rockingham—</i>																					
Atherton	4,723,654	57,675	...	105,156	4,365,720	22,757	...	172,346	424	4	1	10,280	4,446	321	2,323,483	26,151	2,349,634	70,209	...	70,20	
Cairns	127,116	6,768	...	61,379	1,100	57,869	...	...	187	...	...	633	365	127	...	2,925	2,925	...	...	...
Cardwell	2,185	360	...	1,825	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	31	37	32	...	120	120	...	...	...
Chilagoe	850	250	...	600	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	11	7	47	...	109	100	...	...	...
Herberton	121,250	25,350	...	16,800	76,100	3,000	...	...	71	...	...	588	387	124	...	8,984	8,984	...	...	...
Ingham	73,297	4,575	...	68,357	...	365	...	...	158	...	...	399	182	126	...	1,791	1,791	...	...	...
Innisfail	86,754	1,594	...	58,424	...	26,736	...	...	180	...	...	437	253	126	...	550	550	...	...	...
Total Rockingham	5,135,106	96,572	...	312,541	4,442,920	110,727	...	172,346	1,029	4	1	12,379	5,677	284	2,323,483	40,621	2,364,104	70,209	...	70,209	
<i>Maranoa—</i>																					
Mitchell	116,077	17,178	...	11,741	74,758	12,400	...	...	34	...	...	453	317	151	...	5,615	5,615	...	...	...
Roma	1,392,331	114,676	...	101,228	1,129,716	46,711	...	...	357	1	...	6,496	2,747	151	826,857	57,228	884,085	...	...	...
Surat	1,435	1,200	...	235	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	8	6	103	...	156	156	...	...	...
Yeulba	85,538	5,498	...	3,400	74,640	2,000	...	...	16	...	...	293	168	188	...	2,270	2,270	...	...	...
Total Maranoa	1,595,381	138,552	...	116,604	1,279,114	61,111	...	...	409	1	...	7,250	3,231	152	826,857	65,269	892,126	...	...	...
<i>Downs—</i>																					
Allora	2,053,977	59,951	...	59,294	1,665,982	6,200	...	262,550	265	1	...	3,807	1,170	413	1,960,993	25,185	1,986,178	...	...	...
Clifton	2,511,410	98,100	...	138,850	1,612,695	28,725	...	633,040	417	1	9	5,492	1,434	363	513,350	45,791	559,141	1,073,819	...	1,073,819	
Condamine	992,929	70,525	...	38,235	862,410	21,759	...	...	172	1	...	3,646	1,303	201	421,503	20,129	441,632	...	...	...
Dalby	4,651,557	211,948	...	174,982	3,482,074	48,527	...	734,026	757	1	6	17,399	8,184	182	1,865,895	92,759	1,958,654	721,335	721,335	721,335	
Goombungee	1,119,094	30,047	...	14,250	890,797	...	...	184,000	139	1	1	3,032	610	307	924,038	15,020	939,058	115,869	115,869	115,869
Goondiwindi	308,439	25,835	...	25,928	247,303	9,375	...	...	96	1	1	1,444	601	151	164,887	12,430	177,317	177,016	177,016	177,016
Highfields	1,152,615	60,621	...	55,865	788,335	...	...	247,794	204	...	2	3,634	621	271	...	28,397	28,397	167,140	167,140	167,140
Inglewood	515,329	32,590	...	44,370	384,622	2,500	51,247	114	...	2	1,809	958	186	...	13,090	13,090	253,880	253,880	253,880
Jondaryan	2,521,823	50,241	...	51,995	1,319,132	...	...	1,100,455	247	...	10	6,381	1,391	324	...	21,184	21,184	1,183,553	1,183,553	1,183,553
Killarney	982,588	94,200	...	60,380	816,233	2,290	...	...	9,465	211	1	...	2,764	797	276	474,698	43,095	517,793	...	...
Oakey	4,374,535	108,290	...	89,956	2,387,080	4,600	210,913	1,573,696	511	1	7	10,852	2,661	324	1,677,761	59,573	1,737,334	1,538,915	1,538,915	1,538,915	
Pittsworth	5,095,883	56,640	...	178,961	1,101,925	17,248	357,315	3,383,794	531	...	12	11,106	2,494	375	...	22,607	22,607	3,271,759	3,271,759	3,271,759	
Stanthorpe	137,287	45,915	...	56,250	31,390	3,732	...	...	351	...	...	627	269	153	...	20,018	20,018	...	...	...
Texas	196,961	15,922	...	17,873	163,166	...	...	...	65	1	...	1,155	63	110	139,161	6,289	145,450	...	...	...
Toowoomba	2,255,368	82,785	...	129,181	424,916	187,806	642,532	788,148	416	1	6	4,937	1,128	372	1,975,125	36,426	2,011,551	971,364	971,364	971,364	
Warwick	3,448,326	152,286	...	202,030	2,196,971	79,475	817,564	633	1	7	8,085	2,397	329	87,937	62,860	150,797	690,404	690,404	690,404
Total Downs	32,318,101	1,195,896	...	1,338,398	18,375,031	412,237	1,210,760	9,785,779	5,129	11	63	86,170	26,648	283	10,205,348	524,853	10,730,201	10,165,054	...	10,165,054	
Other Districts	1,211,136	347,248	24	439,990	56,290	376,584	...	...	1,529	2	...	6,973	7,129	86	27,649	113,276	140,925	...	30	30
Grand Total, 1924	<i>a</i> 143,947,412	5,898,231	5,157	6,009,269	112,404,026	5,855,353	2,956,702	10,818,674	22,599	50	71	433,531	151,355	246	55,697,300	2,490,654	58,187,954	11,088,723	5,163	11,093,886	
Grand Total, 1923	<i>b</i> 104,203,877	5,415,669	11,656	5,636,115	78,488,319	5,217,660	2,181,379	7,233,079	22,019	48	76	357,203	155,326	203	38,417,853	2,241,781	40,659,634	7,210,295	11,060	7,221,355	
Increase, 1924	39,743,535	482,562	...	353,154	33,915,707	637,893	775,323	3,585,595	580	2	5	76,328	...	43	17,279,447	248,873	17,528,320	3,878,428	...	3,872,531	
Decrease, 1924	...	...	6,499	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	3,971	...	...	...	...	...	5,897	...

(a) 1,771,265 gallons to New South Wales.

(b) 862,550 gallons to New South Wales.

Table No. LXIV.

RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL EXTENT OF LAND UNDER CULTIVATION, AND THE AREA UNDER EACH DESCRIPTION OF CROP, IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924.

Table No. LXIV.—*continued.*

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DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	GRAIN CROPS.												POTATOES.			COTTON.			COFFEE.				
	Barley.				Wheat.				Oats.				Barley.			Cotton.			Coffee.				
	Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Acres.		Vines.		
<i>South-western Division.</i>																							
Adavale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Augustella	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bolton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Charleville	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cunnamulla	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dalby	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hungerford	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Quilpie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. George	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thargomindah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total South-western	30	676	525	151	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	38	...	5	1
<i>Central Division.</i>																							
Alpha	...	...	25	17	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
aramac	...	...	5	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Barcaldine	...	...	18	13	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...
Blackall	...	...	13	13	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4
Clemont	...	1	196	83	113	5	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	11	56	...	...	...	...	...	33	20
Emerald	...	1,042	375	697	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	7
Longreach	...	17	17	17	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...
Muttaura	...	2	603	184	419	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	139	213	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Sprangure	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5
Tempa	...	30	1,315	280	1,035	2	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	13	471	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taroom	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	...	...	...
Total Central	33	3,260	945	2,315	11	11	1	28	1,078	764	71	88	8	2
<i>Maranoa Division.</i>																							
Mitchell	2,839	941	1,898	1,516	1	2	8	25	19	165	70	2	...
Roma	...	8	31,956	13,267	18,689	13,495	100	13	2	21	1,296	1,087	1,338	370	248	108
Surat	16	7	1	10	41
Yeulba	...	1,381	1,221	160	49	1	...	48	13	23	1	...
Total Maranoa	8	36,201	15,429	20,772	15,060	100	15	2	30	1,374	1,106	1,528	472	251	108
<i>Downs Division.</i>																							
Allora	27	48,112	5,889	42,223	20,240	64	487	238	11,165	...	8	...	41	1	10	...	...	...	5,491	3,966	...	...
Clifton	...	82,055	10,230	81,825	39,324	305	2,423	539	16,475	...	4	...	57	9	19	...	...	...	7,251	10,114	1	...
Condamine	...	2,014	7,777	3,585	4,192	24	...	257	5	...	...	...	37	126	...	...	...	337	2	1	...	...
Dalby	...	22,365	37,492	13,108	24,584	8,924	...	284	2,873	...	20	...	61	2	149	2,825	1,907	...	1,878	5,299	3	1	
Goondiwindi	...	2	10,729	10,729	10,729	1,469	...	238	65	22	4,313	...	20	1	12	15	104	...	253	3,217	...	10	40
Hightfields	31	11,366	2,551	8,815	882	882	174	34	43	3,576	3	...	101	...	32	9	...	...	686	3,263	2	5
Ingleswood	...	8,449	3,041	5,408	5,614	11,220	1,857	211	141	98	3,261	...	40	4	165	223	...	...	658	259	3	...
Jonbaryan	2,690	16,600	5,380	11,220	11,220	15,153	3,839	28,023	10,295	147	153	343	32	26	11,699	...	...	...	768	4,529	6	36
Killarney	1,211	1,211	31,862	31,862	31,862	47,454	15,762	762	449	137	11,443	8	22	386	89	85	...	...	3,154	1,546	1	...
Oakey	2,169	2,169	58,892	8,370	69,415	2,755	38,793	5,702	10,127	30	7,722	...	...	110	320	338	...	...	11,061	7,168	4	...
Pitsworth	...	...	10,513	386	11,107	11,107	...	...	...	...	318	18	3	48	...	...	...	...	7,259	13,075	...	9
Stantorp	10	1,477	572	505	5,765	144	11	10	6	66	...	1	4	56	48	...	...	...	97	313	275	234
Texas	16	30,276	4,284	25,592	472	582	79	6,220	3	28	...	21	6	4	...	...	...	298	121	...	...
Toowoomba	97	69,254	10,572	58,702	58,702	58,702	382	917	21,329	52	133	100	8	34	...	...	...	6,072	4,405	61	143	
Wauwic	...	37,147	51,998	87,401	432,587	172,977	3,627	1,618	2,475	10,092	58	...	807	4	1,026	4,904	3,984	...	140	...	51,802	66,152	
Total Downs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Total 1924	538,195	1,275,039	205,202	1,069,837	188,145	4,010	6,268	2,530	229,190	65	9,493	17,19	13,020	50,186	31,988	253,619	431	166	14,911	...	8,634		
1923	498,562	1,198,166	326,198	871,908	126,216	589	76	...	...	9	6,127	17,19	13,020	50,186	31,988	253,619	274	166	14,911	...	...
Increase, 1924	...	39,613	76,892	197,869	137,996	3,794	5,679	2,454	109,068	56	...	3,386	502	8,225	9,365	1,715	33,554	157	110	1	1	48,098	
Decrease, 1924	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	172,584	...

Table No. LXV.

RETURN SHOWING THE GROSS PRODUCE OF PRINCIPAL CROPS RAISED IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924.

DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.																													
	GRAIN CROPS.								POTATOES.			PUMPKINS AND MELONS.			SUGAR-CANE.		ARROROWROOT (TUBERS).		TOBACCO (CURED LEAF).		HAY (ALL KINDS).		VINES.		BANANAS.		PINEAPPLES.		ORANGES.	
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.	Cotton.	Area Crushed.	Weight Obtained.	Arrowroot (Tubers).		Tobacco (Cured Leaf).		Hay (All Kinds).		Grapes Gathered.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.	Pineapples.	Oranges.						
			Malting.	Other.																										
<i>Moreton Division.</i>																														
Brisbane (A)	...	...	...	...	6,463	...	...	400	354	995	49,175	...	...	...	...	...	...	484	882,705	224,304	94,306	669
Brisbane (B)	...	...	...	...	293	...	...	83	5	38	8,111	...	...	...	...	...	...	348	4,220	221	32,148	2,759
Beaudesert	...	...	...	...	123	80,110	...	438	148	1,376	52,805	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,947	...	2,145	196	602
Caboolture	...	...	...	...	2,947	...	...	157	66	11	3,942	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5,958	95,864	91,557	2,714
Cleveland	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	55	67	63	7,186	22	416	...	...	...	...	1,220	11,613	263,289	1,414	...
Cooyar	...	...	...	...	48,524	...	...	189	...	696	4,992	...	...	...	...	...	...	594	...	...	...	...				
Crow's Nest	3,010	1,350	1,506	496	278,377	18	...	372	3	1,366	9,634	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,515	4,284	...	...	414
Dugandan	75	...	75	...	343,260	...	...	1,298	20	5,073	226,797	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,868	1,191	80	...	523
Esk	...	...	...	...	70,948	...	...	682	383	3,367	138,254	...	...	...	7	...	...	4,015	4,864	Nil	...	1,101
Gatton	465	...	100	...	227,087	...	...	1,232	405	8,400	974,438	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,598	8,950	...	70	3,682
Goodna	...	...	...	...	1,449	...	...	28	2	14	6,055	...	...	...	...	...	...	197	...	...	...	...				
Harrisville	...	...	...	...	119,286	...	...	280	15	3,387	141,586	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,401	...	...	...	102
Helidon	350	...	...	...	52,180	...	...	610	351	2,039	181,192	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,273	...	...	...	381
Ipswich	...	...	...	...	10,759	...	...	123	22	189	23,010	...	...	...	...	...	...	814	...	140	4,161	72
Kilcoy	...	...	150	...	25,796	...	...	364	250	1,435	11,658	...	...	72	...	...	...	422	...	22,504	...	70
Laidley	108	...	78	204,127	...	...	889	271	3,115	526,356	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,731	3,937	...	...	127
Logan	...	...	...	...	15,027	...	...	1,629	615	36	15,646	1,111	26,501	2,093	...	...	...	460	10,198	84,626	53,304	8,978
Lowood	...	...	...	...	93,604	...	...	762	221	1,485	143,755	...	...	2,454	...	...	1,476	46,262	Nil	1,591	541	
Marburg	...	...	...	...	17,905	...	...	174	58	132	78,779	3	21	3	...	...	98	...	Nil	526	40	
Maroochy	...	...	...	...	5,758	...	...	45	52	...	3,908	3,832	87,956	55	...	5,790	21	...	517,080	318,443	111,042	...		
Nerang	...	...	...	...	12,798	...	...	525	33	76	90	25	661	2,649	...	...	37	...	136,276	331	3,626	
Redcliffe	...	...	...	...	9,016	...	...	327	413	151	17,824	32	664	...	...	...	573	3,845	149,500	5,132	894	
Rosewood	...	...	...	...	58,517	...	...	217	22	677	200,505	...	...	10	...	...	3,760	...	...	1,500	450	
Southport	...	...	...	...	97	...	...	28	4	4	...	...	...	6	...	...	9	...	...	4,028	870	2,392
Woodford	...	...	...	...	10,660	...	...	139	143	51	21,291	...	...	59	...	...	68	...	...	6,39,115	16,409	21,435
Wynnum	...	...	...	...	220	...	...	23	93	16	1,567	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...				
Total Moreton	4,008	1,500	1,681	697	1,695,248	18	...	11,069	4,016	34,192	2,848,556	5,029	116,278	4,895	2,454	5,790	56,722	1,016,749	1,266,290	887,879	142,143	...								
<i>Wide Bay Division.</i>																														
Biggenden	...	...	...	...	13,170	...	...	103	17	624	868,440	389	7,387	...	...	...	348	...	1,572	396	428	
Bundaberg	...	...	...	...	6,769	...	...	65	8	...	21,359	17,007	287,265	...	...	397	2,490	4,100	2,479	780		
Chinder's	...	...	20	...	3,178	...	...	8	...	58,683	19,501	187,783	...	...	...	36	...	50	...	2,078			
Eidsvold	...	...	...	...	3,468	...	...	44	36	54	139,962	...	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	165	
Gayndah	...	...	...	...	52,964	...	...	134	45	848	1,546,940	...	...	...	...	...	256	3,967	...	...	4,396	
Gin Gin	...	...	...	...	5,318	...	...	79	1	4	106,900	4,898	74,426	...	...	...	257	4,158	Nil	40	1,692	
Gympie	...	...	...	...	74,269	...	...	738	1,584	239	63,008	330	7,818	13	...	...	1,063	5,600	931,356	9,598	2,768	
Kilkivan	...	...	...	...	7,961	...	...	66	12	108	128,910	1	5	...	...	...	314	...	...	...	133	
Maryborough	...	...	...	...	3,419	...	...	317	125	51	49,711	3,341	68,704	...	...	270	952	32,220	70,732	21,444	25,876	
Mount Perry	...	...	...	...	544	...	...	14	27	...	63,903	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	400	...	496	
Nanango	6,920	2,950	141	75	843,148	70	...	387	29	3,450	413,039	...	...	...	...	...	6,793	16,735	...	...	410		
Tiaro	...	499	...	...	14,086	...	...	362	20	33	108,438	1,772	23,912	5	...	...	786	1,590	41,070	2,168	5,309			
Wienholt	1,600	499	...	...	598,771	...	...	1,757	124	2,349	1,790,778	...	...	...	...	...	6,987	6,026	50	50	92	
Total Wide Bay	8,520	3,469	141	75	1,627,065	70	...	4,074	2,028	7,760	5,360,121	38,239	657,300	18	...	270	18,281	72,786	1,049,280	36,175	44,623									
<i>Port Curtis Division.</i>																														
Banana	...	...	...	...	161	...	...	...	...	...	45,101	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gladstone	390	...	...	...	17,050	...	...	1,398	149	536	1,328,100	360	4,369	26	1,800	...	380	2,067	24,952	2,282	2,935				
Mount Morgan	...	344	...	...	115	...	...	...	...	8	2,245,122	...	...	...	...	...	31	1,010	12	555	480	
Rockhampton	28	...	...	...	12,280	...	...	491	87	1,237	2,566,263	...	...	...	...	...	2,269	47,618	61,416	21,323	14,954	
St. Lawrence	...	...	...	...	302	...	...	15	3	45	30,964	1,037	21,122	...	...	...	253	...	190	210	...	
Total Port Curtis	418	...	...	...	33,137	...	...	2,019	239	1,826	6,215,550	1,397	25,491	26	1,800	...	2,933	50,695	86,570	24,370	18,369				

Table No. LXV.—continued.

RETURN SHOWING THE GROSS PRODUCE OF PRINCIPAL CROPS RAISED IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924—continued.

QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.

DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	GRAIN CROPS.								POTATOES.		SUGAR-CANE.			ARROWROOT (TUBERS).	TOBACCO (CURED LEAF).	COFFEE.	HAY (ALL KINDS).	VINES.	GRAPES GATHERED.	BANANAS.	PINEAPPLES.	ORANGES.									
	Barley.				Maize.				Potatoes.		Sugar-Cane.																				
	Wheat.	Oats.	Malting.	Other.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.	Pumpkins and Melons.	Cotton.	Area Crushed.	Weight Obtained.																	
<i>Edgecumbe Division.</i>	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.																									
Ayr																									
Bowen	2,091	...																									
Cape River	58	...																									
Charters Towers																									
Mackay	510	...																									
Proserpine	13	...																									
Ravenswood																									
Townsville	345	...																									
Total Edgecumbe	3,017	...																									
<i>Rockingham Division.</i>	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.											
Atherton	511,663	...	...	80	141	62	21,491	...	...	...	...	...	2,498	302	1,594										
Gairns	162	...	9	101	125	24,361	539,817	...	...	...	...	231	...	25,093	2,500	12,330									
Cardwell	120	...	...	16	4	8,076	298	7,205	...	...	...	...	...	7,540	100	7,664									
Chillagoe	48	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	565	100	280									
Herberton ...	260	...	...	...	...	...	2,850	...	4	5	8	...	...	...	...	...	34	12,883	...	900	40	745			
Ingham	110	...	1	1	674	18,154	351,873	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,525	1,042	2,925								
Innailstail	320	22,421	526,631	585									
Total Rockingham ...	260	...	...	...	515,273	...	...	94	270	74	30,366	65,234	1,425,526	...	...	...	...	265	12,883	42,121	4,084	26,123			
<i>York Peninsula Division.</i>	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.											
Coen	18	...	...	7	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	180	...											
Cook	2,592	...	103	14	3,652	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	1,432	685	2,829										
Douglas	84	...	...	...	4,635	83,460	...	...	...	...	...	...	530	495	1,125										
Palmer	65	...	306	192	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,760	80	255										
Somerset	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total York Peninsula	2,909	...	...	416	214	3,652	4,635	83,460	...	...	...	...	24	...	7,902	1,260	4,209								
<i>Carpentaria Division.</i>	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.											
Burke	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150							
Cloncurry	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Croydon	1,715	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80							
Etheridge	608	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hughenden							
Mount Isa							
Norman							
Richmond							
Total Carpentaria	608	...	...	...	...	57	1,715	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	230					
<i>Central-western Division.</i>	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.											
Boulia							
Camooweal							
Diamantina							
Isisford							
Jundah							
Windorah							
Winton							
Total Central-western							

Table No. LXV.—continued.

RETURN SHOWING THE GROSS PRODUCE OF PRINCIPAL CROPS RAISED IN THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924—continued.

DIVISIONS AND PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.																															
	GRAIN CROPS.										POTATOES.		SUGAR-CANE.			ARROWROOT (Fibers).			TOBACCO (CURED LEAF).		COFFEE.		HAY (All Kinds).		VINES.		BANANAS.		PINEAPPLES.		ORANGES.	
	Wheat		Oats.		Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.	Pumpkins and Melons.		Cotton.	Area Crushed.	Weight Obtained.	Lb.		Lb.		Tons.		Lb.		Bunches.		Dozens.		Bushels.			
	Malting.	Other.	Malting.	Other.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Acres.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Lb.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozens.	Bushels.	Dozens.	Bushels.	Dozens.	Bushels.				
<i>South-western Division.</i>																																
Adavale				
Augathella				
Bollon	292				
Charleville	104				
Cunnamulla				
Eulo				
Hungerford				
Quilpie				
St. George	108				
Thargomindah				
Total South-western	51	2	1,532	29	29,556	504					
<i>Central Division.</i>																																
Alpha	4	300	900	31					
Aramac	862					
Barcaldine					
Blackall	18	6	8	2,608	500	426					
Clermont	...	20	480	2	92	145,210	5	5,722	1,140					
Emerald	...	30					
Longreach					
Muttaburra	72	12,834	15	21					
Springsure	783	15	2	...	29	152,278	36	760	78					
Tambo	60	783					
Taroom					
Total Central	110	...	...	...	...	...	1,353	...	...	...	23	2	133	314,092	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	7,882	...	...	1,696
<i>Maranoa Division.</i>																																
Mitchell	...	19,977	...	...	...	...	836	...	...	1	...	3	11,175	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	197	7,630	...	...	...	...		
Roma	...	143,834	442	...	...	...	8,900	...	...	18	6	47	323,499	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,582	482,602	...	...	3,558	...
Surat	90	...	...	...	2	...	1	353	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...		
Yeulba	...	482	344	2,127	24	400					
Total Maranoa	164,293	442	...	...	...	...	10,170	...	...	21	6	51	337,154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,818	490,632	...	...	3,558	...
<i>Downs Division.</i>																																
Allora	...	374,210	966	9,051	4,874	431,132	...	...	15	...	175	149	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,883	...	...	...	650
Clifton	...	670,972	5,159	56,355	8,003	649,786	...	...	6	...	123	6,043	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,364	885	...	...	...			
Gondamine	...	5,603	216	...	...	4,967	...	...	9	...	67	353,563	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	404	8,569	...	...	118
Dalby	...	99,243	1,162	2,032	...	45,580	...	...	995	4	505	688,282	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,489	19,345	...	...	589
Goombungee	...	17,152	4,895	850	360	113,088	...	...	32	...	949	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	634	...	...	...	...		
Goondiwindi	...	34,099	...	...	...	...	...	...	2429	...	25	3	9	2,323	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	243	3,981	...	...	71
Hightfields	...	9,817	3,808	765	494	112,914	27	...	224	...	...	...	...	12,028	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	865	8,720	...	...	86
Inglewood	...	48,974	2,600	...	...	219	6,110	...	60	...	11	30,852	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,695	...	1,033	3,420	...	
Jondaryan	...	19,278	2,410	1,125	1,308	58,563	...	...	61	...	665	11,915	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	803	8,915	...	...	108
Killarney	...	183,595	4,393	2,916	4,911	471,101	...	...	73	...	87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,852	4,800	...	...	...			
Oakey	...	182,773	10,543	8,898	2,150	304,459	...	...	50	...	1,059	24,849	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,275	8,542	...	...	110
Pittsworth	...	489,074	7,214	15,483	684	212,013	...	...	20	...	347	85,522	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,654	...	...	...	...		
Stanhope	529	...	...	440	...	31	1,354	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119	774,549	...	...	...			
Texas	...	1,848	111	24	54	1,093	...	...	2	3	22	19,526	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	485	...	...	...	...		
Toowoomba	...	113,267	6,452	14,510	1,910	200,082	14	...	50	...	142	2,464	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100,181	...	...	...	415
Warwick	...	352,315	8,572	13,814	17,740	829,044	2,250	...	284	...	606	2,306	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150	...	6,704	29,555	...
Total Downs	2,602,220	58,501	125,823	42,707	3,441,990	2,291	...	2,346	10	3,849	1,212,125	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	115,026	...	56,619	942,467	...	2,320
Grand Total, 1924	2,779,829	63,912	127,645	43,479	7,330,821	2,379	...	20,314	7,113	48,770	16,416,170	167,649	3,171,341	4,939	135,767	6,160	136,804	2,684,089	2,463,783	973,457	262,791	...	...	...	...			
" 1923	243,713	2,427	3,312	496	2,024,902	64	...	8,878	3,900	9,563	12,543,770	2,045,808	2,043	211,266	10,616	43,407	3,073,600	1,953,761	982,418	220,337	...	...	...	...				
Increase, 1924	2,536,116	61,485	124,333	42,983	5,305,919	2,315	...	11,436	3,213	39,207	3,872,400	28,907	1,125,533	2,896	...	75,499	4,456	...	93,397	...	510,022	...	8,961	42,454	...	...				
Decrease, 1924						

Table No. LXVI.

THE AREA UNDER EACH DESCRIPTION OF CROP IN QUEENSLAND—RETURN FOR TEN YEARS
AREA UNDER EACH DESCRIPTION OF CROP.

Area Under Each Description of Crop.												Year.
Total Extent of Land under Cultivation.												
Land in Fallow Lying Idle &c.												
Total Extent of Land under Crop.												
										GRAIN CROPS.		
										POTATOES.	SUGAR-CANE.	COFFEE.
										COTTON.	ORANGES.	MANGOS.
										VINES.	APPLES.	
										ORANGES.	MANGOS.	
										Strawberries.	APPLES.	
										Bearing.	Total Area.	
										Bananas.	Pineapples.	
										Bearing.	Total Area.	
										Market Gardens.	Other Gardens and Orchards.	
										Other Crops.		
										Other Gardens and Orchards.		
										Market Gardens.		
										Other Crops.		
										Strawberries.	APPLES.	
										Market Gardens.	Other Gardens and Orchards.	
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										Strawberries.	APPLES.	
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										Strawberries.	APPLES.	
										Market Gardens.	Other Gardens and Orchards.	
										Other Crops.		
										Strawberries.	APPLES.	

SHOWING THE GROSS PRODUCE OF PRINCIPAL CROPS RAISED IN QUEENSLAND—RETURN FOR TEN YEARS.
Table No. LXVII.

QUALITY OF PRODUCE

SHOWING AVERAGE PRODUCT PER ACRE OF PRINCIPAL CROPS IN QUEENSLAND—RETURN FOR TEN YEARS.

Year.	GRAIN CROPS.						POTATOES.			SUGAR.			OTHER CROPS.													
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.		Maize.	Rye.	POTATOES.			Tons of Cane per Acre Crushed.	SUGAR.	Arrowroot (Tubers).	Tobacco (Cured Leaf).	Hay (all Kinds).	Grapes.	Bananas.	Pineapples.	Oranges.	Mangoes.	Strawberries.	Apples.	Market Garden.	Gardens and Orchards.			
			Malting.	Other.			Tons.	Tons.	Lb.		Tons.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Tons.	Bunches.	Doz.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Quarts.	Bushels	£	£			
1915 ...	4.42	7.24	4.83	8.44	13.68	20.35	23.00	1.28	3.61	2.25	170	12.20	1.49	7.51	493	588	0.98	2,556	148	248	132	262	1,090	30	21	9
1916 ...	10.81	16.55	20.19	18.79	16.64	12.73	...	2.18	3.37	2.99	324	20.81	2.33	10.82	733	263	1.29	1,671	113	210	94	245	1,059	31	22	12
1917 ...	8.10	14.89	18.67	18.56	25.37	13.84	35.00	2.06	4.82	3.36	889	24.88	2.83	10.92	372	325	1.60	1,613	148	227	146	156	694	40	27	17
1918 ...	4.88	12.19	6.53	7.50	27.46	10.00	24.55	1.72	4.94	2.53	820	15.01	1.70	13.04	531	486	1.68	1,468	162	214	120	201	721	43	33	23
1919 ...	6.71	7.91	10.62	11.00	17.39	6.67	6.75	1.77	2.85	2.63	517	14.83	1.91	10.87	615	671	0.86	2,002	124	172	68	193	691	36	36	23
1920 ...	20.91	22.16	19.46	21.49	17.38	14.53	20.00	2.17	3.43	2.32	344	15.03	1.88	11.43	539	673	1.24	2,312	133	211	71	176	1,815	47	37	31
1921 ...	18.37	15.13	16.83	18.56	21.53	12.00	7.50	1.76	4.60	3.30	484	18.60	2.30	15.10	738	791	1.41	2,245	177	221	90	197	1,513	53	37	24
1922 ..	12.91	16.04	17.91	16.28	21.59	9.75	31.89	1.37	3.93	2.87	454	15.39	2.04	9.43	911	586	1.29	2,188	200	213	111	230	756	53	42	27
1923 ...	4.76	11.24	5.62	6.53	16.86	7.11	...	1.45	3.37	1.99	307	14.75	1.94	7.46	765	708	0.93	3,108	167	250	88	294	983	49	44	29
1924 ...	14.70	15.94	20.36	17.19	31.99	36.60	...	2.14	4.14	3.75	327	18.92	2.44	11.46	818	440	1.44	2,343	183	262	101	231	1,452	42	41	30
†	12.34	17.16	16.43	16.91	22.42	15.14	23.25	1.81	4.52	3.22	334	16.95	2.01	11.14	823	542	1.36	2,250	187	247	134	308	1,313	47	28	19

† Average for twenty years (or since statistics have been collected).

Table No. LXIX.

RETURN SHOWING THE AREA AND PRODUCE OBTAINED DURING THE YEAR 1924 FROM CERTAIN OTHER CROPS, DETAILS OF WHICH ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE GENERAL TABLE.

Table No. LXX.

RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL EXTENT OF LAND CULTIVATED FOR HAY, TOGETHER WITH THE YIELD OF HAY, IN EACH OF THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE AND THE AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE DURING THE YEAR 1924.

PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	HAY.									
	Wheat.		Oats.		Lucerne.		Other.		Total.	
	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.	Acres.	Tons.
Allora ...	219	192	92	107	4,165	3,970	1,015	614	5,491	4,883
Beaudesert ...	7	8	123	194	1,659	5,409	119	336	1,908	5,947
Clifton ...	391	288	571	498	3,931	2,957	2,358	2,621	7,251	6,364
Crow's Nest ...	66	60	70	104	878	1,286	35	65	1,049	1,515
Dalby ...	711	721	460	718	150	478	557	572	1,878	2,489
Dugandan ...	63	92	128	184	2,897	8,325	664	1,267	3,752	9,868
Esk ...	38	44	135	169	1,888	3,452	215	350	2,276	4,015
Gatton ...	1,573	1,737	346	387	3,546	5,012	929	1,462	6,394	8,598
Harrisville ...	347	472	607	759	2,924	6,334	1,038	1,836	4,916	9,401
Helidon ...	161	159	77	100	605	814	109	200	952	1,273
Killarney ...	141	151	103	132	2,538	5,088	372	481	3,154	5,852
Laidley ...	921	1,192	44	61	3,718	4,858	420	620	5,103	6,731
Lowood ...	84	111	44	59	753	1,115	110	191	991	1,476
Nanango ...	90	61	809	780	3,083	5,122	453	830	4,435	6,793
Oakey ...	717	625	996	913	3,749	3,576	1,706	2,161	7,168	7,275
Pittsworth ...	682	592	269	228	4,269	3,904	2,039	2,930	7,259	7,654
Rockhampton ...	238	299	82	147	707	1,236	357	587	1,384	2,269
Roma ...	1,105	1,215	45	65	6	9	182	293	1,338	1,582
Rosewood ...	22	27	152	250	1,224	2,729	405	754	1,803	3,760
Toowoomba ...	224	191	1,415	2,336	3,776	3,343	657	834	6,072	6,704
Warwick ...	351	355	452	466	7,706	8,503	1,232	1,488	9,741	10,812
Wienholt ...	114	74	75	85	2,317	6,709	98	119	2,604	6,987
All other Districts ...	1,192	1,185	1,209	1,715	4,584	9,998	1,087	1,610	8,072	14,508
Grand Total {1924 ...	9,457	9,851	8,304	10,457	61,089	94,275	16,157	22,221	95,007	136,804
1923 ...	8,714	5,095	1,344	1,305	33,505	32,841	3,346	4,166	46,909	43,407
Increase, 1924 ...	743	4,756	6,960	9,152	27,584	61,434	12,811	18,055	48,098	93,397
Decrease, 1924 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Average Yield per Acre ...	...	1.04	...	1.26	...	1.54	...	1.38	...	1.44

Table No. LXXI.

RETURN SHOWING THE TOTAL EXTENT OF LAND CULTIVATED FOR GREEN CROPS IN EACH OF THE SEVERAL PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS OF THE STATE DURING THE YEAR 1924.

PETTY SESSIONS DISTRICTS.	GREEN CROPS.				
	Wheat.	Oats.	Lucerne.	Other.	Total of all Kinds.
					Acres.
Allora ...	205	422	2,261	1,078	3,966
Beaudesert ...	152	942	922	930	2,946
Brisbane (A) ...	168	147	139	1,797	2,251
Clifton ...	755	925	6,135	2,299	10,114
Crow's Nest ...	114	1,758	8	768	2,648
Dalby ...	1,906	347	183	2,863	5,299
Dugandan ...	88	687	106	1,634	2,515
Esk ...	178	981	544	2,893	4,596
Gatton ...	446	378	184	1,896	2,904
Gayndah ...	232	620	60	1,763	2,675
Goombungee ...	127	1,152	371	1,567	3,217
Gympie ...	190	862	109	995	2,156
Harrisville ...	90	799	276	987	2,152
Helidon ...	234	244	209	633	1,320
Highfields ...	260	964	972	1,067	3,263
Ipswich ...	36	385	188	1,014	1,623
Jondaryan ...	963	1,062	60	2,443	4,528
Kilcoy ...	80	280	79	289	728
Killarney ...	16	282	902	346	1,546
Laidley ...	513	135	87	1,509	2,244
Logan ...	93	92	136	735	1,056
Lowood ...	144	406	235	2,526	3,311
Marburg ...	106	506	369	2,784	3,765
Nanango ...	235	3,458	633	3,016	7,342
Oakey ...	2,682	3,288	1,104	3,987	11,061
Pittsworth ...	3,524	2,291	2,395	4,865	13,075
Redcliffe ...	157	141	85	1,285	1,668
Rosewood ...	128	534	903	1,576	3,141
Toowoomba ...	229	1,352	1,890	934	4,405
Warwick ...	170	601	1,753	1,619	4,143
Wienholt ...	790	2,315	1,139	4,769	9,013
All other Districts ...	1,700	1,163	879	5,696	9,438
Grand Total {1924 ...	16,711	29,519	25,316	62,563	134,109
1923 ...	116,644	46,083	49,538	94,428	306,693
Increase, 1924 ...	...	...	...	...	...
Decrease, 1924 ...	99,933	16,564	24,222	31,865	172,584

Table No. LXXII.

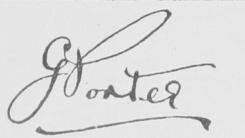
RETURN SHOWING AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE OF CROPS IN EACH DIVISION OF THE STATE FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Division.	GRAIN CROPS.								POTATOES.		Sugar-cane (to Acres Crushed)	Cotton.	Arrow-root (Tuber).	Tobacco (Dried Leaf).	Coffee.	Pumpkins and Melons.	Hay of all Kinds.	Grapes.	Bananas.	Pine-apples.	Oranges.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley, Malting.	Barley, Other.	Maize.	Rye.	Rice.	English.	Sweet.	Tons.	Tons.										
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Tons.	Lb.	Bunches.	Dozen.	Bushels.		
Moreton	14.68	25.00	23.68	13.94	27.42	9.00	...	2.03	3.78	23.12	387	11.60	818	483	3.79	1.83	2,492	182	284	114	
Wide Bay	11.39	15.56	12.82	15.00	32.40	14.00	...	2.03	6.99	17.19	360	3.60	...	270	3.87	2.07	2,141	194	194	82	
Port Curtis	6.33	...	...	...	22.21	...	...	2.14	3.73	18.25	308	6.50	1,800	...	3.27	1.82	1,950	133	116	70
Edgecumbe	...	...	...	...	23.39	...	...	1.99	4.06	16.25	245	...	749	100	2.32	2.38	2,602	117	153	88
Rockingham	26.00	...	...	...	37.53	...	...	1.92	4.35	21.80	205	...	...	...	2.47	1.53	2,147	170	83	166
York Peninsula	...	...	...	...	27.97	...	...	...	2.05		406	...	...	...	4.98	4.00	...	55	105	69
Carpentaria	...	...	...	...	12.67	...	...	...	...	429	...	...	...	...	8.14	...	...	...	...	115
Central-western	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South-western	...	...	...	...	6.38	...	...	2.00	...	511	...	...	...	...	...	0.76	4,111	...	...	46
Central	10.00	...	...	...	18.28	...	...	2.09	2.00	...	291	...	...	...	4.75	0.79	985	...	...	57
Maranoa	10.91	4.42	...	...	16.17	...	...	1.40	3.00	...	245	...	...	...	1.70	1.19	1,955	...	...	209
Downs	15.04	16.13	20.34	17.26	34.11	39.50	...	2.91	2.50	...	253	...	822	...	3.75	1.09	2,480	...	...	36
TOTAL AVERAGE YIELD, 1924	14.70	15.94	20.36	17.19	31.99	36.60	...	2.14	4.14	18.92	327	11.46	818	440	3.75	1.44	2,343	183	262	101	
" " " 1923	4.76	11.24	5.62	6.53	16.86	7.11	...	1.45	3.37	14.75	307	7.46	765	708	1.99	0.93	3,108	167	250	88	
INCREASE, 1924	9.94	4.70	14.74	10.66	15.13	29.49	...	0.69	0.77	4.17	20	4.00	53	...	1.76	0.51	...	16	12	13	
DECREASE, 1924	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	268	...	...	765	...	...	...

Table No. LXXXIII.

RETURN SHOWING THE AREA, YIELD, AND VALUE OF CROPS FOR THE YEAR 1924.

Description of Crop.		Area.	Yield.	Value.
Cereals	Barley { Malting	6,268	127,645 bushels	18,083
	Other	2,530	43,479 "	7,428
	Maize	229,160	7,330,821 "	1,435,619
	Oats	4,010	63,912 "	25,565
	Rye	65	2,379 "	595
	Wheat	189,145	2,779,829 "	810,783
Grass Seed	...	2,449	57,950 "	28,009
Green Forage (all kinds)	...	134,109	...	804,654
	Lucerne	61,089	94,275 tons	549,937
	Oaten	8,304	10,457 "	104,570
	Wheaten	9,457	9,851 "	66,494
Hay	Other	16,157	22,221 "	133,326
	Oaten	...	221 "	
	Wheaten	...	2,873 "	
	Other	...	176 "	
Straw	Beans	8	591 bushels	177
	Peas	137	2,659 "	1,197
Pulse	Arrowroot (Tubers)	431	4,939 tons	14,817
	Mangolds	98	838 "	2,514
	Onions	194	16,317 cwt.	9,790
	Potatoes	9,493	20,314 tons	179,440
	Sweet	1,719	7,113 "	32,898
Root Crops	Turnips (including Swede Turnips)	83	426 "	1,512
	Beetroot	1	10 "	59
	Garlic	1	600 lb.	8
Grapes, Productive	For table use	1,137	2,152,714 lb.	65,030
	For wine		511,375 (Wine made)	15,448
Unproductive		442	33,119 gallons	...
Sugar-cane, Productive	...	167,649	3,171,341 tons	7,207,409
	Unproductive	85,870	...	
Tobacco	...	166	135,767 lb.	11,255
	...	1,619	...	66,413
Market Gardens	Apples	2,331	98,644 bushels	65,763
	Apricots	91	2,713 "	2,057
	Bananas	13,491	2,463,783 bunches	769,932
	Cherries	7	670 bushels	564
	Custard Apples	284	28,798 "	15,839
	Figs	17	945 "	520
	Gooseberries (Cape)	27	28,103 quarts	1,405
	Lemons	268	20,733 bushels	10,712
	Mangoes	245	56,604 "	16,981
	Nectarines	161	5,347 "	2,495
	Oranges	2,609	262,791 "	118,256
	Passion Fruit	71	6,639 "	5,477
	Pawpaws	341	73,895 dozens	14,779
	Peaches	1,939	97,266 bushels	55,928
	Pears	275	8,019 "	6,816
	Persimmons	14	1,191 "	447
	Pineapples	3,709	973,457 dozens	267,701
Orchards and Fruit Gardens	Plums	1,145	39,107 bushels	27,701
	Quinces	23	465 "	203
	Rosellas	1	2,996 lb.	17
	Strawberries	150	217,750 quarts	51,715
	Other (Private, &c.)	392	...	9,087
	Unproductive	3,326	...	...
	Broom Millet	554	233,944 lb. straw	3,446
	Cabbages and Cauliflowers	929	210,696 dozens	84,278
	Canary Seed	3,991	1,658,960 lb.	39,993
	Cocoanuts	821	38,110 dozen	6,669
	Coffee	14	6,160 lb.	231
	Unproductive	3	...	...
	Cotton, Unginned	50,186	16,416,170 "	376,204
	Unproductive	31,988	...	
	Cowpea	324	4,668 bushels	3,501
	Cucumbers	328	145,126 dozens	12,094
	Green Beans	556	49,151 bushels	14,745
	Green Peas	359	22,250 "	10,013
Other Crops	India Rubber	3	...	...
	Lucerne Seed	45	3,200 lb.	400
	Millet Seed	713	19,636 bushels	6,873
	Peanuts	691	1,005,393 lb.	20,946
	Pumpkins and Melons	13,020	48,770 tons	146,310
	Linseed	10	5,400 lb.	68
	Tomatoes	2,583	297,080 bushels	210,432
	Marrows	11	38 tons	143
	Egg Fruit	1	141 bushels	35
	Chocos	1	950 dozen	48
	Total under Crop	1,069,837		13,992,384
	Land in fallow	92,112		
	Area under permanent artificially sown grasses	538,165		
	New ground broken up during season	10,545		
	Previously cropped land lying idle during season	102,545		
Total area of arable land		1,813,204		



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